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Is there in existence a *Dell Crossword Puzzle Dictionary*? I have a few similar reference books, but would really like to own one from you if there is such a thing.

Theodore Alston, Roxbury, Massachusetts

Would you have any idea where I might possibly find a copy of the original *Dell Crossword Dictionary*? I have looked in bookstores and supermarkets but still can't seem to locate one. Any suggestions are much appreciated!

Alberta Watson, Diagonal, Iowa

*Alberta and Theodore, we didn't realize this book was such a hot item! While the original edition of our dictionary is out of print, there IS an updated and expanded version available in some stores. If you absolutely must have the first edition (edited by Kathleen Rafferty), then you may be able to get your hands on one by resorting to a computer. Word has it that copies can indeed be found on various websites; our suggestion is to utilize a search engine using "Dell dictionary" as your key words. Don't have Internet access? Check your local library — most have computer stations for patrons to use free of charge.*

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I'm a longtime subscriber and really enjoy solving your puzzles. Finally, I may have beaten you at your own game! For the sec-

ond Changeling in the June issue, I can go from COAL to SOOT with three instead of four changes: COAL, cool, coot, SOOT. I was thinking you'd consider my use of "coot" as slang or obsolete which I know is not allowed, but it's used quite often, don't you think? Can you give me this one? Thanks, and keep bringing us fun!

Jim Lamb, Atascadero, California

*Hmmm...we think you deserve this one, Jim. The word "coot" is definitely not slang or obsolete. Although it may not be a common, everyday word when used to describe a duck-like, freshwater bird, it is often used informally to indicate "an amusing or eccentric old fellow." Turn to page 83 for more Changelings — and let us know how you do!*

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# CROSSWORD

easy

*This is not In-N-Out-Meal... or*  
*hinner!*

For added fun, atop most crosswords is an excerpt from the Lighthearted Lexicon of smiley definitions, each meant to give a tickle to your punny bone.

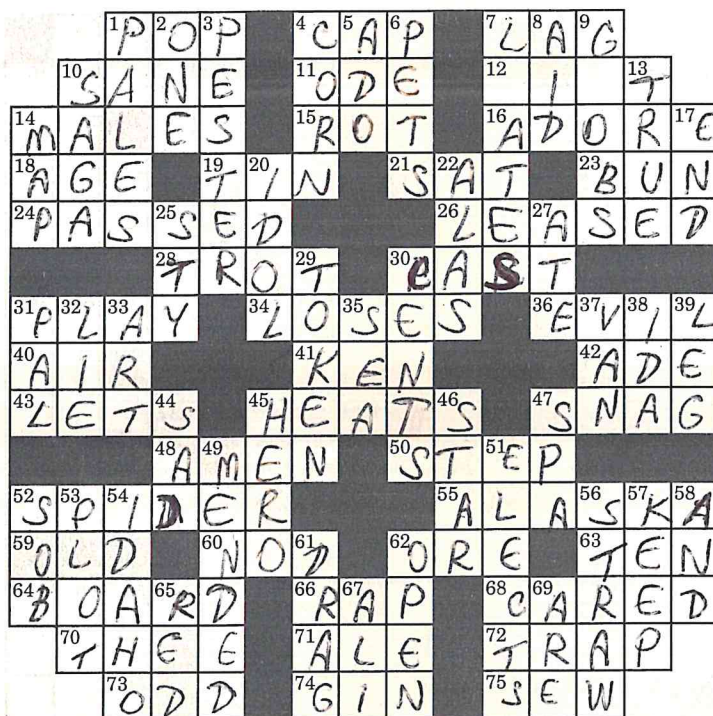
## ACROSS

1. Dad
4. Sporty hat
7. Droop
10. Rational
11. Lyric poem
12. Slant
14. Bulls, rams, and roosters
15. Decay
16. Love madly
18. Mature
19. Can metal
21. Used a chair
23. Hamburger roll
24. Overtook
26. Rented
28. Horse's gait
30. All of the actors in a 31-Across
31. Stage presentation
34. Fails to win
36. Wicked
40. Atmosphere
41. Barbie's boyfriend
42. Fruit drink
43. Allows
45. Warms up
47. Catch (clothing) on an obstruction
48. Prayer closer
50. Stride
52. Web spinner
55. Juneau's state
59. Ancient
60. Head gesture
62. Raw mineral
63. Six plus four
64. Cut piece of wood

66. Knock sharply
68. Felt deeply (for)
70. "My country, 'tis of —..."
71. Pub brew
72. Snare
73. Strange
74. Cotton machine
75. Stitch
9. Goopy lumps
10. Heroic tale
13. Factual
14. Atlas illustration
17. Finish
20. Worshiped one
22. "Woe is me!"
25. Pigpen
27. Dined

## DOWN

1. Becomes faded
2. Single bill
3. Annoy
4. Cob vegetable
5. Fuss
6. Domesticated animals
7. Physical or emotional conditions
8. Assist
29. Fare-box currency substitute
30. Pennies
31. Buddy
32. Fib
33. Actor Carney
35. Ocean
37. Movers' truck
38. Ms. Lupino
39. Lower limb
44. Unhappy
45. Admirably courageous fellow
46. Sky sparkler
47. Health resort
49. Repaired
51. Chooses by vote
52. Weep loudly
53. Plan
54. Potato-growing state
56. Drinking tube
57. Hold on to
58. Also
61. Pull
62. Unwrap
65. Stoplight color
67. Boxing great Muhammad
69. Exist



Solution is on page 119



• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •

*Bungee jumper: One who's at the end of his rope*

**CROSSWORD**  
easy **2**

**ACROSS**

1. Knock (over)
4. Altar singers
9. Slipped
13. King beater
14. Regular course
15. Thin cookie
17. Least far
19. Settled (a bill)
21. Mr. Kettle
22. Likely (to)
23. Duration in office
24. Fireplace wood
25. Blackboard material
28. Feeble
29. Gym pads
30. Back of the neck
31. Gasp
32. Water barrier
33. Actor Vigoda
34. Trumpet, for one
35. Take a chance
38. Boxing feat
39. St. Paul's state
41. Printer's measure
42. Expensive fur
44. Sneaker or pump
45. Feline
46. Social insect
47. Secondhand
48. Ocean swell
49. Cut lengthwise
51. Mr. Astaire
52. Daily publication
53. Lubricate
54. Salary
55. Is able to
56. Average

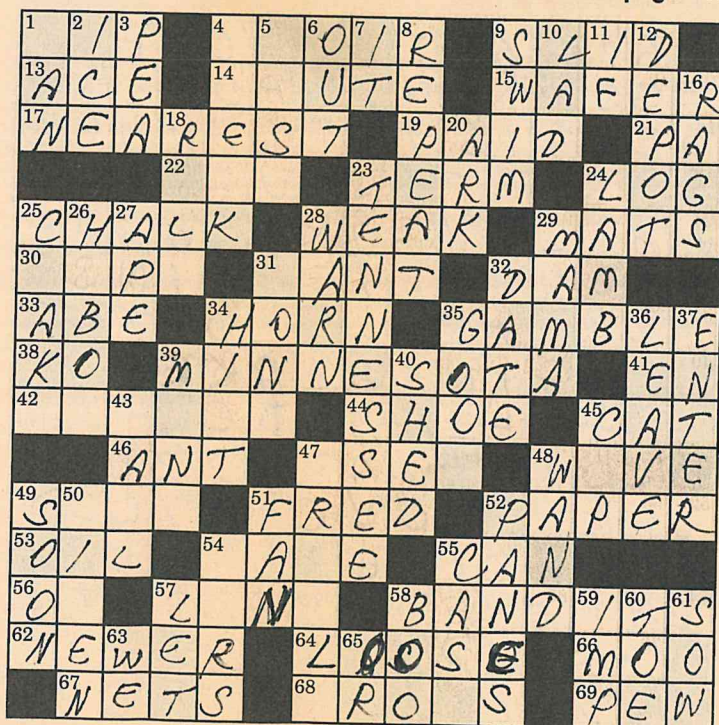
57. Country road
58. Highwaymen
62. More recent
64. Rope loop
66. Cow sound
67. Meshed traps
68. Jogs
69. Church bench

**DOWN**

1. Treat (hides)
2. Frozen water
3. "The Princess and the —"
4. French pancake
5. Party giver
6. Not at home
7. Tag chaser
8. Say again
9. Move in water
10. Youth
11. In case
12. Bus station
16. Worn cloths
18. Fixed price
20. Noah's vessel
23. Nashville's state
24. Baby sheep
25. Sibilant slitherer
26. Toil
27. Mimic
28. Caution
29. Papa's mate
31. Corn bread
32. Social engagement
34. Helpful clue
35. Better than 56-Across
36. Depart
37. Opposite of 36-Down

39. Breath freshener
40. Tool shack
43. Send by post
45. Bottle top
47. Pressing
48. Magic stick
49. Shortly
50. Compare (to)
51. Air circulator
52. Window pieces
54. Prolonged battles
55. Mold
57. Allow
58. Ghostly word
59. Tiny demon
60. Foot digit
61. Plant (seeds)
63. You and I
65. Either's partner

**Solution is on page 119**





# 3 CROSSWORD easy

• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •  
The quickest way to find a lost  
item: Buy another just like it

## ACROSS

1. Male sheep
4. Museum display
7. Police officer
10. Conceit
11. Compete in a race
12. Authority
14. Bicuspid doctor
16. Plotted
18. Chair, for one
19. Human spirit
20. 24 hours
21. Spouse
23. Decade divisions
25. Walk in water
26. Undoes
28. Fib
29. Metal fasteners

30. For each
31. Turnpike fee
33. Misplaced
34. Rocker Turner
35. Use an oven
36. Story
37. Broad
38. Restaurant bill
41. Dirt
42. Butter square
43. Go by car
45. October's gem
46. Created on a loom
48. Frosted (a cake)
49. Existed
50. Actor Hackman
51. Hog's call
53. Joined in

55. Edges
58. Made stitches
59. Washington, D.C.'s country: abbr.
60. Make (a knot)
61. Morning moisture
62. Number after nine
63. Health resort

## DOWN

1. Member of a Cincinnati team
2. Mature
3. Huge beast
4. Diva's solo
5. Corroded

6. High explosive: abbr.
7. Fossil fuel
8. Possess
9. Necklace charm
12. Additional
13. Enjoys a novel
15. Adolescent
16. Skin opening
17. Fabric coloring
19. Travel by boat
21. Swab (the floor)
22. Copycat
24. Singer Fitzgerald
25. Knowledgeable
27. Motionless
29. Jabbed
32. Single bill
33. Young man
34. Fido's wagger
35. Nip
36. Browned (bread)
37. Goodbye gesture
38. Admission coupons
39. "— Maria"
40. Place to sleep
41. Crosses over
42. Small lake
44. Watermelon shell
45. Have debts
46. Unwanted plant
47. Hangman's knot
50. Sprouted
52. Tehran's locale
54. Mate for a 1-Across
55. Except
56. Tear
57. Ocean



Solution is on page 119



**ACROSS**

1. Faucet
4. Madrid's country
9. Estimated the value of
14. Wallet bill
15. Penne or ziti
16. Idolize
17. America's language
19. Nevada city
21. Physician's aide: abbr.
22. Skill
23. Pull along the ground
24. Cooking vessel
25. Backbone
28. Without money
29. Word on a towel
30. Cattle group
31. Stream forth
32. Animal hair
33. Had lunch
34. Bambi, for one
35. Carpentry tool
38. "Who's there?" response
39. Region
40. Stinging insect
41. Richmond's state: abbr.
42. Wore away
44. Ale ingredient
45. Bowling target
46. Attorney's field
47. Sour
48. True statement
49. Appear (to be)
51. Wet weather
52. Lightning flashes
53. Horoscope cat
54. Fearless
55. Paid athlete
56. Either's mate

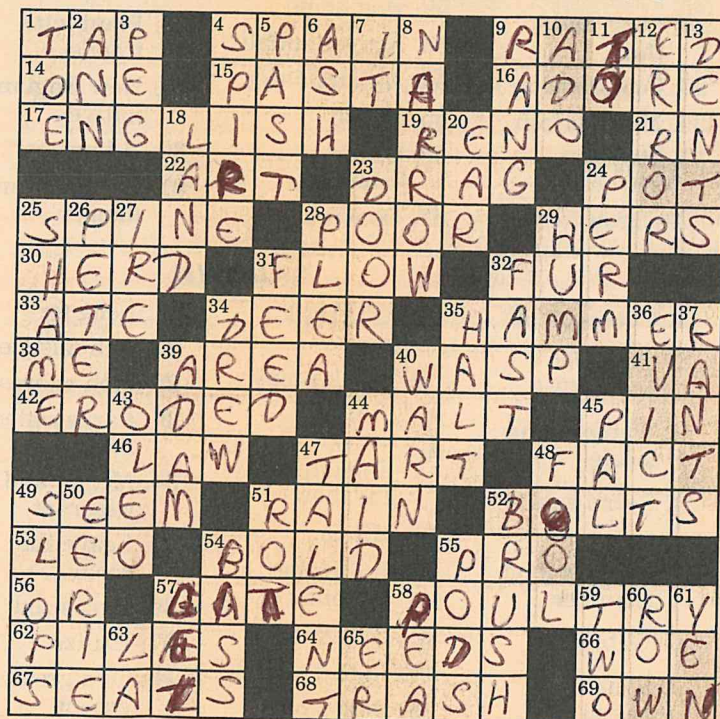
57. Fence opening
58. Chickens and ducks
62. Heaps
64. Requires
66. "— is me!"
67. Ocean mammals
68. Garbage
69. Possess

**DOWN**

1. Foot digit
2. Ms. Landers
3. Cribbage piece
4. Steeple topper
5. Gone by
6. Fire remains
7. That thing
8. Far from wide
9. Sounded (a bell)
10. Big fuss
11. As far as
12. Mistake
13. Fender imperfections
18. Come ashore
20. Corn spike
23. Way out
24. Hair wave, for short
25. Disgrace
26. Actor Falk
27. Anger
28. Urgent request
29. Camel feature
31. Give nourishment to
32. Like an Olympic sprinter
34. Sketched
35. Stop
36. Eject (a tenant)
37. Raves

39. First man
40. Caution
43. Bread spread
44. Female servant
45. Buddy
47. Natural ability
48. Silly one
49. Spills (over)
50. Weird
51. Decay
52. Painting tool
54. Deep voice
55. 58-Down holders
57. Mousse's kin
58. Small, green veggie
59. Number for tea?
60. Use oars
61. Craving
63. Scale note
65. Sound of hesitation

**Solution is on page 119**







**ACROSS**

- |  |   |                           |                           |
|--|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Storage tower on a farm                 | 33. "— You Lonesome Tonight?" Elvis song  | 58. Numerous              | 82. Horse's nibble        |
| 5. With 72-Across, Massachusetts peninsula | 34. Come back                             | 59. Empty a suitcase      | 83. Engineless plane      |
| 9. Line of stitches                        | 38. Fermenting tanks                      | 62. Even one              | 86. British nobleman      |
| 13. Wintry white                           | 39. Paid no attention to                  | 63. Thaw                  | 87. Public disgrace       |
| 17. Eve's mate                             | 43. Live                                  | 64. Post of employment    | 92. Give temporarily      |
| 18. Word of pity                           | 44. Wagers                                | 67. Breakfast bread       | 93. Drip, as a faucet     |
| 19. Plumbing tube                          | 45. Mine find                             | 68. Free (of)             | 95. Apiece                |
| 20. Sandwich fish                          | 46. Gardner of "The Snows of Kilimanjaro" | 69. Sleeved outer garment | 97. Lessen (pain)         |
| 21. Stopped sleeping                       | 47. Eat a meal                            | 70. Castro's country      | 98. Poker stake           |
| 22. Air outlet                             | 48. Overconfident racer of fable          | 71. Egyptian cobra        | 99. Otherwise             |
| 23. Grows old                              | 49. Woolly mama                           | 72. See 5-Across          | 100. Venetian-blind strip |
| 24. Home of 17-Across                      | 50. Warning signal                        | 73. Certain chess piece   | 101. Pennsylvania port    |
| 25. Long and thin                          | 52. Hog home                              | 74. Giving one            | 102. Entry passage        |
| 27. Foot division                          | 53. Actor Randall                         | 75. Sound; well           | 103. Takes a chair        |
| 29. Most certain                           | 54. Air circulator                        | 78. Plant with fronds     | 104. Knights' titles      |
| 31. Museum attraction                      | 55. Harsh                                 | 79. New England native    | 105. Letter opener?       |
| 32. Encounter                              | 56. Group of criminals                    | 80. "I knew it!"          |                           |
|  | 57. Do wrong                              | 81. Escape from danger    |                           |

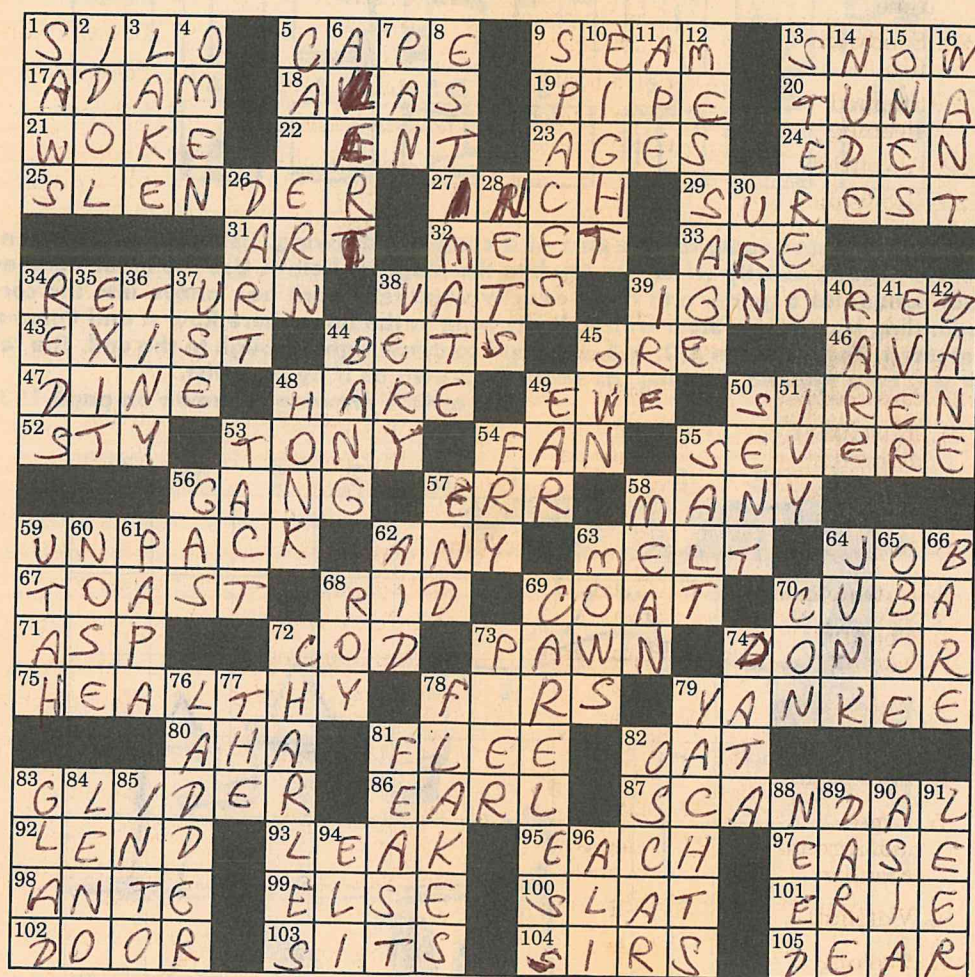
**DOWN**

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|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Cutting tools             | 8. Educated guess              | 16. Long for            | 39. Anger               |
| 2. Object of worship         | 9. Blank areas in text         | 26. Pub missile         | 40. Unusual             |
| 3. Water-skiing locale       | 10. "— Is Enough," old TV show | 28. Fish snares         | 41. Always              |
| 4. Seer's sign               | 11. Mimic                      | 30. Large coffee maker  | 42. Copenhagen resident |
| 5. Large underground chamber | 12. Telegram's contents        | 34. Merlot and cabernet | 44. Gunshot sound       |
| 6. Watchful                  | 13. Hi-fi system               | 35. Leave the room      | 45. Possess             |
| 7. Cooking vessel            | 14. Naked                      | 36. Pint-sized          | 48. Wild goose's call   |
|                              | 15. Dollar bills               | 37. Utilize             | 49. Corn unit           |
|                              |                                | 38. To a great extent   | 50. Transmitted         |



- |                            |                         |                               |                                 |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 51. Climbing vine          | 62. Help                | 73. Look searchingly          | 83. Happy                       |
| 53. Peacekeeping skill     | 63. Cut down, as grass  | 74. Factual information       | 84. Letterman rival             |
| 54. Sauté in oil           | 64. Worthless stuff     | 76. Firefighter's "staircase" | 85. Concerned with              |
| 55. Table seasoning        | 65. Woodwind instrument | 77. Common article            | 88. Requirement                 |
| 56. Auto fuel              | 66. See 14-Down         | 78. Bits of 13-Across         | 89. Challenge                   |
| 57. Stop                   | 68. Singer Orbison      | 79. Pleasure boats            | 90. India's continent           |
| 58. Signify                | 69. Inconsiderate       | 81. Banquet                   | 91. Sly look                    |
| 59. Salt Lake City's state | 70. Pro's opposite      | 82. Acting award              | 94. Cotton gin inventor Whitney |
| 60. Organ of smell         | 72. Aviator Lindbergh   |                               | 96. Boxer Muhammad              |
| 61. Father                 |                         |                               |                                 |

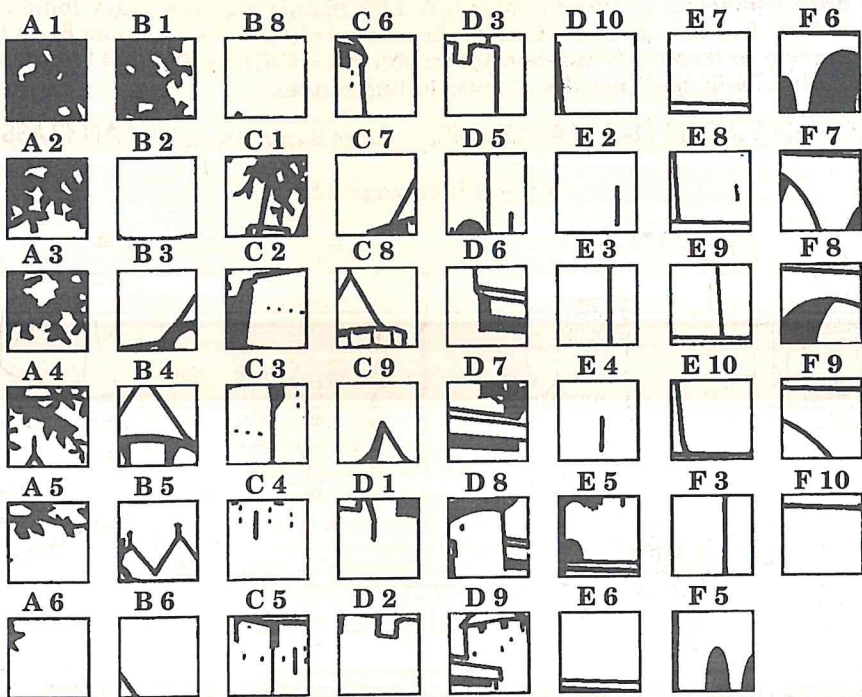
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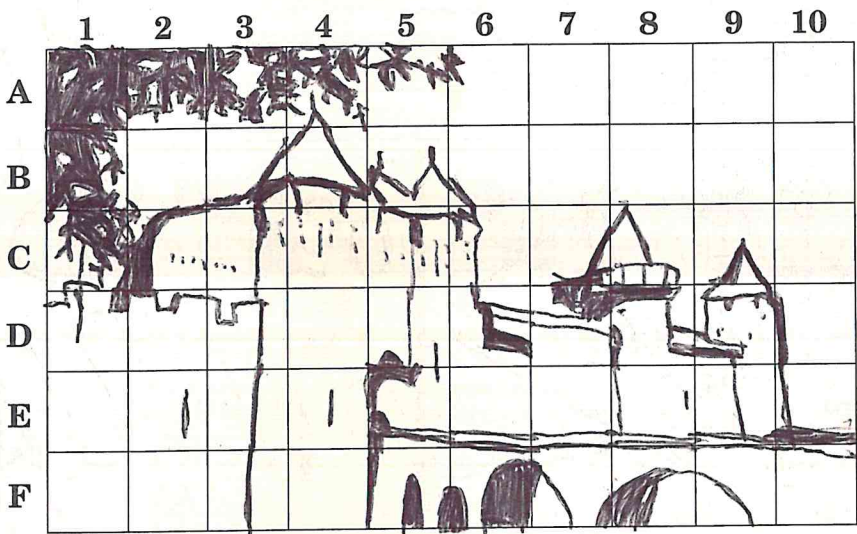
# SKILL-O-GRAM

by Gary Maria



Each square above contains one part of a complete drawing. Using a pencil or pen, you are to copy exactly what you see into the diagram below. Use the letter-number combinations as a guide, and draw exactly what is in each box above into the corresponding box below. Start with A-1, drawing in the box where Row A and Column 1 intersect. Then draw in A-2, A-3, etc., and continue right through to the end. The result will be a finished drawing, as skillfully drawn as if by an artist.

The artist's drawing is shown on page 123.





# PICTURE RIDDLE

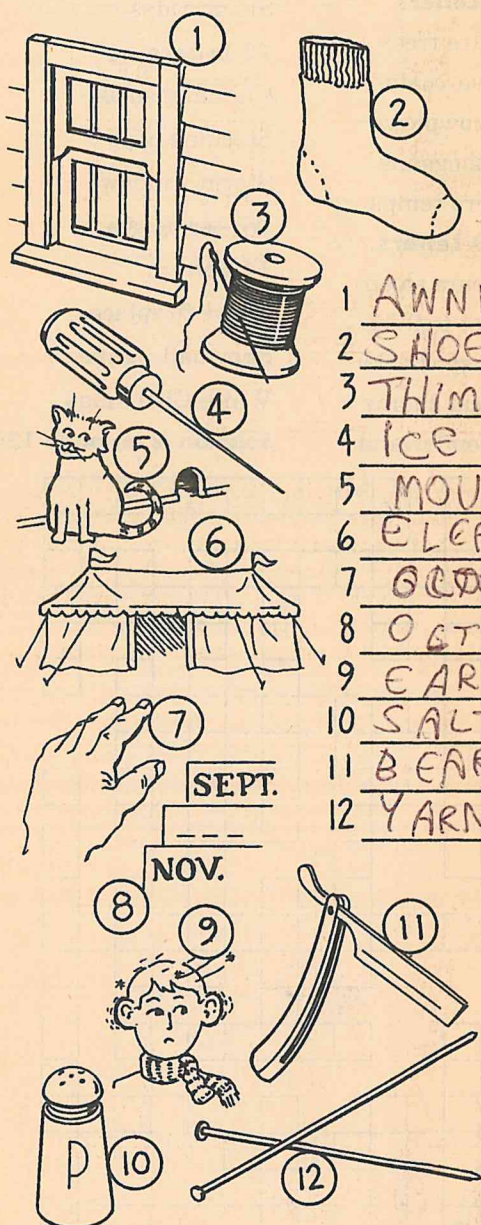
Match each numbered picture in column A with the picture that bears some relation to it in column B. Then, put the name of the related picture (from column B) on the line corresponding to its mate's number. When you have finished, the first letters reading down the lines will spell out the answer to this riddle:

HOW DOES A FILM LIKE "CASABLANCA" TURN INTO AN AMERICAN CLASSIC?

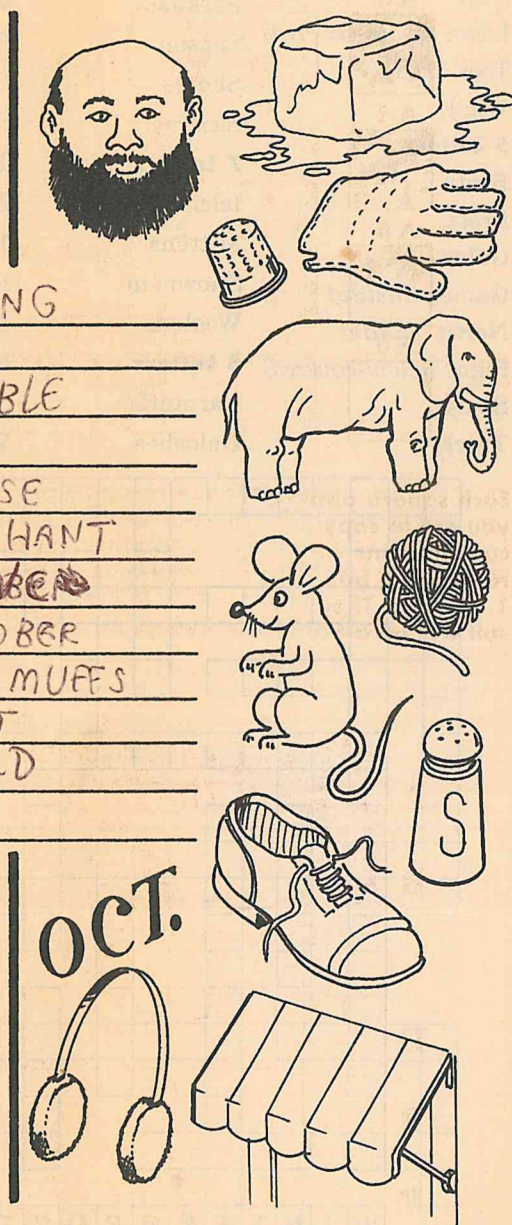
Answer is on page 127.

COLUMN A

COLUMN B



- 1 ANNING
- 2 SHOE
- 3 THIMBLE
- 4 ICE
- 5 MOUSE
- 6 ELEPHANT
- 7 ~~OCTOBER~~
- 8 OCTOBER
- 9 EAR MUFFS
- 10 SALT
- 11 BEARD
- 12 YARN





# KRISS KROSS 1

## WINTERTIME

Kriss Kross puzzles are solved by fitting the words supplied with each puzzle into their proper places in the diagram. The words are in alphabetical order according to the number of letters. Some of the diagrams have a word or phrase inserted to start you off. The phrase entered into this diagram is "WINTER SPORTS." To proceed, look for the 12-letter entry ending with "E." Continue in this manner until the puzzle is solved.

### 4 Letters

Cold

Deer

Lawn (*snow-covered*)

Toes (*cold*)

Wind

### 5 Letters

Boots

Frost

Gales

Games (*inside*)

North (*winds*)

Signs (*snow-covered*)

Sleds

Track

### 6 Letters

Freeze

Parkas

Season

Skates

Skiers

### 7 Letters

Icicles

Mittens

Snowmen

Woolens

### 8 Letters

Earmuffs

Galoshes

Mufflers

Yule logs

### 9 Letters

Bare trees

Overcoats

Snowplows

Toboggans

Zero temps

### 10 Letters

Bears sleep

Hot toddies

Rosy cheeks

Skid chains

Wonderland

### 11 Letters

Frozen lakes

Sleigh rides

### 12 Letters

Chimney smoke

Stocking caps

Storm windows

~~Winter sports~~

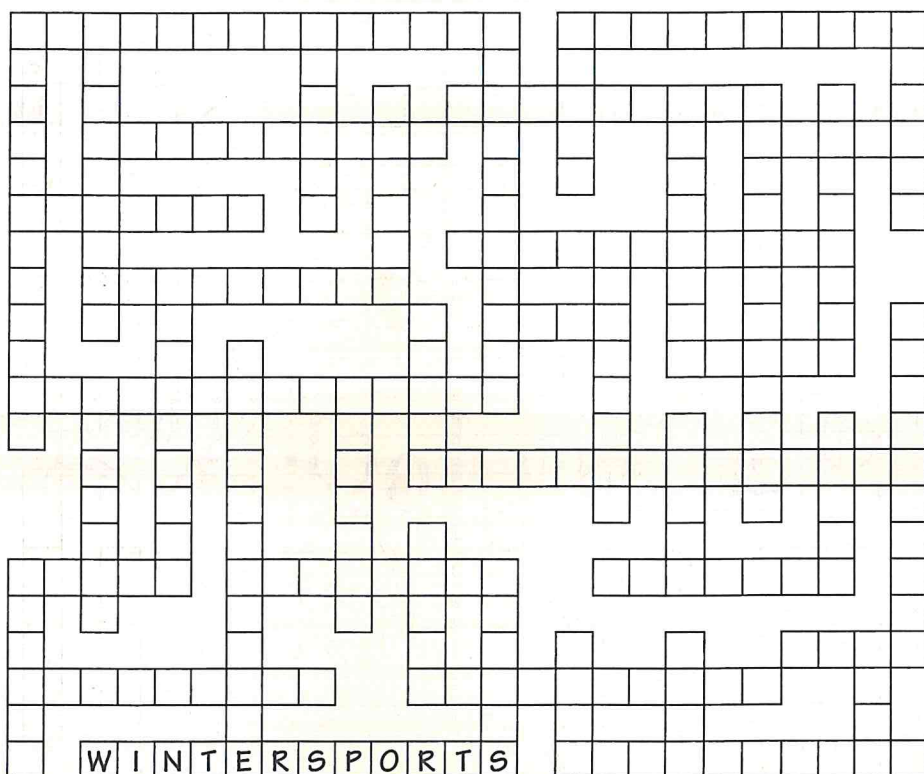
### 14 Letters

Sit by fireplace

Snowball fights

White Christmas

**Solution is on page 124**





# PUZZL"ING" WORDS

# KRISS KROSS 2

## 4 Letters

Inga

Inge

Ming

Ring

## 5 Letters

Aping

Going

Lingo

Rings

Singe

Sling

Using

## 6 Letters

Ailing

Awning

Gaping

Ginger

Gringo

Inning

Ogling

String

Taking

## 7 Letters

Arguing

Atoning

Gasping

Gearing

Gingiva

Golfing

Grating

Lasting

Raining

Sassing

Singing

Skating

Springs

Staking

Tinning

Undoing

## 8 Letters

Annoying

Bearings

Flinging

Giggling

Gleaming

Gleaning

Grasping

Greening

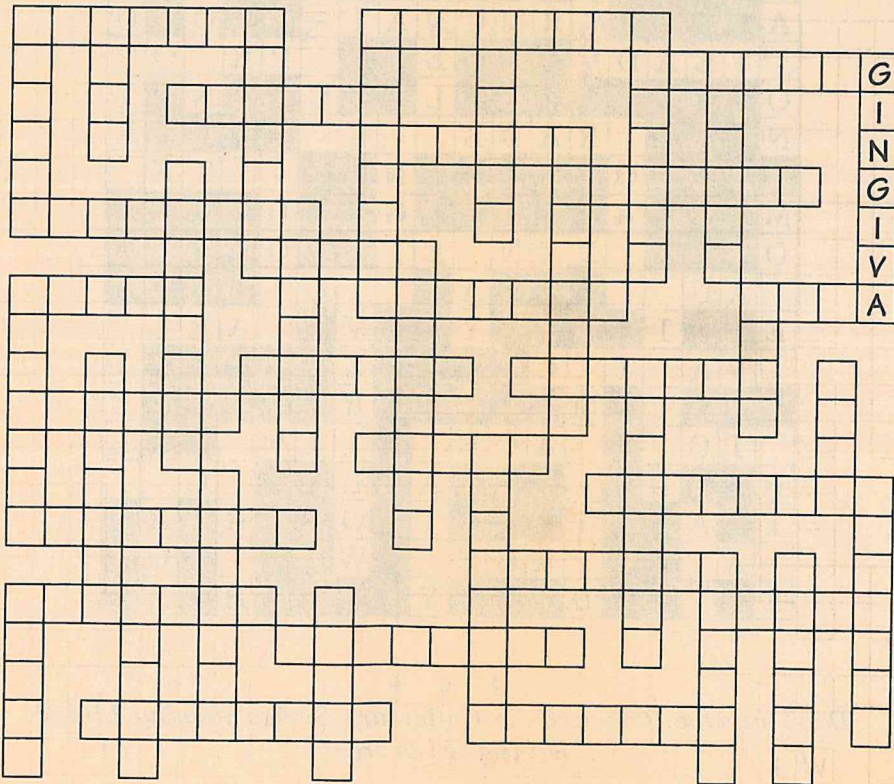
Grinning

Gripping

Offering

Snagging

Solution is on page 124





# KRISS KROSS 3

## MISSING LINKS

Using only the letters below, fill the diagram with real, everyday words. Be careful – this puzzle isn't as easy as it may look, so a little extra thought will be needed. As a help, the first word across is on page 130. Solution is on page 124.

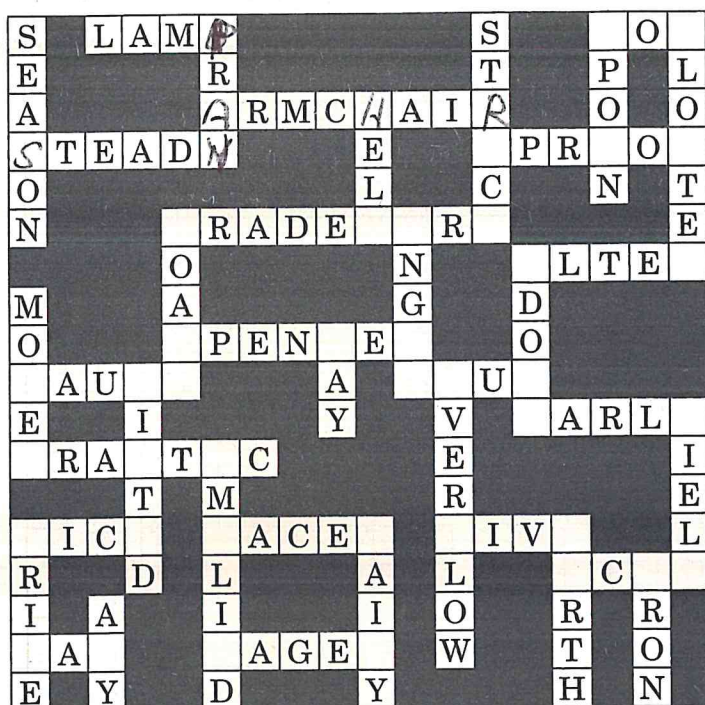
~~A~~ A A A ~~B~~ D D D D D

E E E E F ~~H~~ I I K L

M ~~N~~ O O P P

~~R~~ R R R R ~~S~~ S S S T T T

U V V ~~X~~ Y Y



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## KROSS NUMBER

## KRISS KROSS 4

Solve this like a regular Kriss Kross, putting numbers instead of words into the diagram. If you want help getting started, the number that goes into the outlined area can be found on page 130.

3 Digits

~~032~~

~~321~~

~~412~~

~~413~~

~~510~~

~~570~~

~~610~~

~~647~~

~~704~~

~~705~~

~~803~~

~~862~~

~~917~~

~~918~~

4 Digits

~~0016~~

~~0413~~

~~0796~~

~~0919~~

~~1134~~

~~1202~~

~~1497~~

~~2171~~

~~3119~~

~~3434~~

~~4709~~

~~4965~~

~~5104~~

~~5167~~

~~6124~~

~~6160~~

~~6910~~

~~7492~~

~~7822~~

~~9072~~

~~9999~~

5 Digits

~~05692~~

~~17750~~

~~21985~~

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~~46290~~

~~56140~~

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~~84962~~

~~87037~~

~~91001~~

~~91307~~

6 Digits

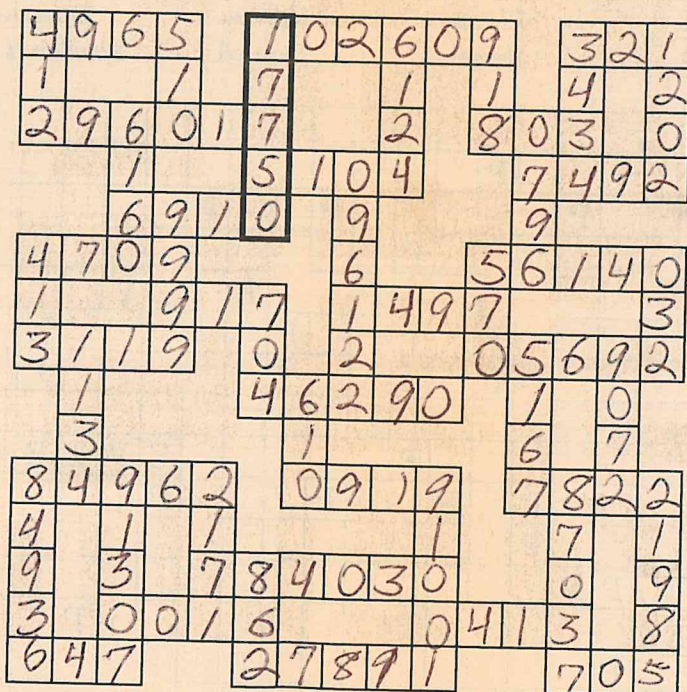
~~096122~~

~~102609~~

~~296017~~

~~784030~~

Solution is on page 124



0!  
These  
are  
classic  
numbers,  
Lizzie!

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# KRISS KROSS 5

TIMED

Our expert took 13 minutes to solve this Kriss Kross with some "P's" and the word "EPERGNE" already entered into the diagram. Your solving time:

## 4 Letters

Apse  
Atop  
Cape  
Clip  
Lisp  
Mope  
Opal  
Opus  
Pail  
Peel  
Pomp  
Prop  
Rapt  
Reap  
Ripe  
Slap

Spat

Tamp

Tape

## 5 Letters

Adapt  
Apron  
Impel  
Imply  
Maple  
Nopal  
Paper  
Pilot  
Pinup  
Price  
Prior  
Recap  
Remap

Roped

Sleep

Snoop

Spoon

Stoop

Sunup

## 6 Letters

Appose  
Empire  
Exempt  
Impact  
Impend  
Larrup  
Napped  
Opener  
Oppose  
Panned

Patter

People

Peplum

Policy

Prince

Prompt

Recoup

Report

Ripple

Sprint

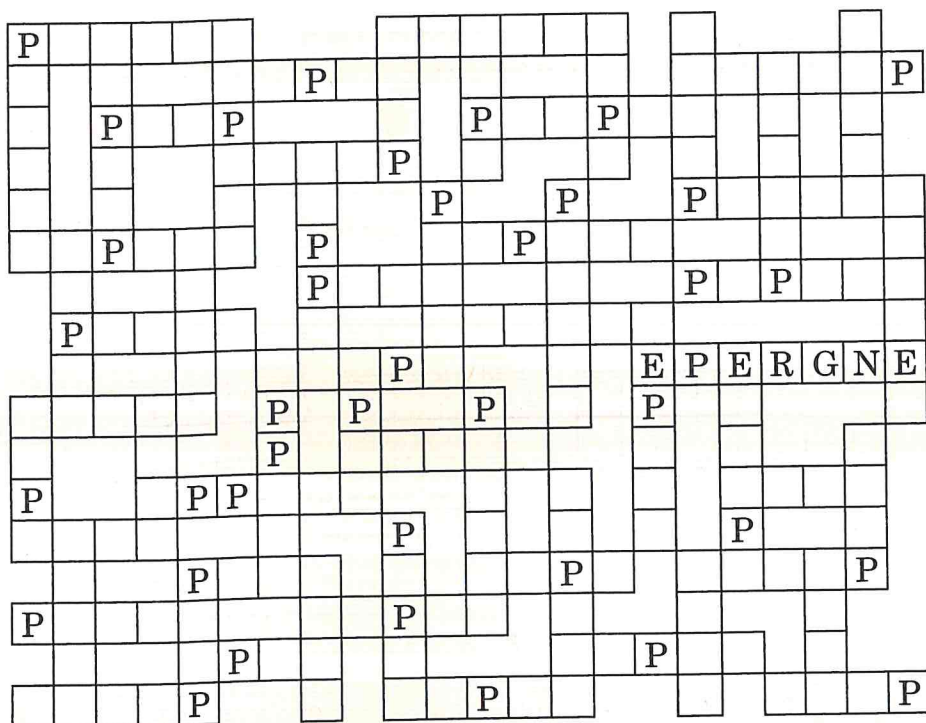
Temper

Tiptop

## 7 Letters

~~Epergne~~

Solution is on page 124





# TIMED

# KRISS KROSS 6

Our expert took 4 minutes to start this puzzle by figuring out which word goes into the heavily outlined area and another 22 minutes to finish solving the puzzle. You can find the outlined word listed on page 130. Your solving time:

## 4 Letters

Aims  
Amen  
Arch  
Atom  
Dome  
Edam  
Home  
Lair  
Lame  
Loam  
Loom  
Mire  
Omar  
Omen  
Rear

Rome

Room

Stem

## 5 Letters

Admit  
Alone  
Amore  
Cameo  
Comet  
Elemi  
Emend  
Enrol  
Femur  
Forum  
Istle  
Madam

Maine

Mamma

Moats

Named

Romeo

Tamer

Trump

## 6 Letters

Amends  
Diatom  
Dormer  
Ermine  
Errand  
Limits  
Mantra

Marina

Masses

Master

Matter

Melody

Miasma

Motion

Motive

Omelet

Redeem

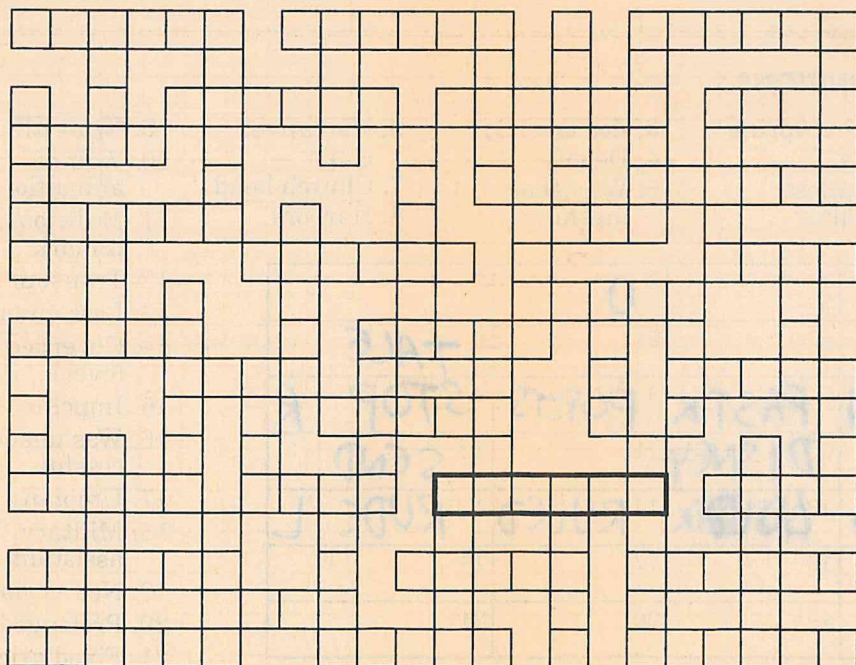
Salaam

Sampan

Seldom

Slalom

**Solution is on page 124**



# LADDERGRAMS

by Irene R. Hayes

First, write the word that fits the first definition into space 1. Then drop one letter and rearrange the remaining letters to form the answer to definition 2. Drop one more letter, rearrange, and get the answer to definition 3. Put the first dropped letter into the box to the left of space 1 and the other dropped letter into the box next to space 3. When you have correctly solved the puzzle, the dropped letters on the left and right, when read down, will spell out related words or a phrase.

Solutions are on page 129.

## 1. DEFINITIONS

- |                   |                    |                       |                                |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Less dangerous | 3. Listening organ | 5. Stopwatch, for one | 7. Oklahoma native             |
| 2. Travel fee     | 4. Allow           | 6. School session     | 8. Sleep noisily               |
|                   |                    |                       | 9. Bouquet beauty              |
|                   |                    |                       | 10. Railroad vehicle           |
|                   |                    |                       | 11. "— Misbehavin'," song      |
|                   |                    |                       | 12. Food can                   |
|                   |                    |                       | 13. Pertaining to teeth        |
|                   |                    |                       | 14. Weighed down (with sorrow) |
|                   |                    |                       | 15. Native of Copenhagen       |
|                   |                    |                       | 16. Valuable trait             |
|                   |                    |                       | 17. Couch or stool             |
|                   |                    |                       | 18. Had a snack                |

S	<sup>1</sup> SAFER	<sup>2</sup> RARE	<sup>3</sup> EAR	F
P	<sup>4</sup> PERMIT	<sup>5</sup> TIMER	<sup>6</sup> TERM	I
O	<sup>7</sup> SOONER	<sup>8</sup> SNORE	<sup>9</sup> ROSE	N
R	<sup>10</sup> TRAIN	<sup>11</sup> AIN'T	<sup>12</sup> T/N	A
T	<sup>13</sup> <del>RE</del>	<sup>14</sup>	<sup>15</sup> DANE	L
S	<sup>16</sup>	<sup>17</sup> SEAT	<sup>18</sup> ATE	S

## 2. DEFINITIONS

- |                        |                     |                     |                            |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Like a spring color | 3. Zoo favorite     | 6. Narrative; story | 9. "Quit it!"              |
| 2. Smallest amount     | 4. Deadly           | 7. Church head      | 10. Walt of animation      |
|                        | 5. Workshop machine | 8. Harbors          | 11. Malicious, as a remark |
|                        |                     |                     | 12. Transmit               |
|                        |                     |                     | 13. Less quiet             |
|                        |                     |                     | 14. Governed (over)        |
|                        |                     |                     | 15. Impolite               |
|                        |                     |                     | 16. Was unsuccessful       |
|                        |                     |                     | 17. Utopian                |
|                        |                     |                     | 18. Military assistant     |
|                        |                     |                     | 19. Not as slow            |
|                        |                     |                     | 20. Prolonged look         |
|                        |                     |                     | 21. Fixed price            |

	<sup>1</sup>	<sup>2</sup> O	<sup>3</sup>	
	<sup>4</sup>	<sup>5</sup>	<sup>6</sup> TALE	
A	<sup>7</sup> PASTOR	<sup>8</sup> PORTS	<sup>9</sup> STOP	R
	<sup>10</sup> DISNEY	<sup>11</sup>	<sup>12</sup> SEND	
O	<sup>13</sup> <del>ADOLPH</del>	<sup>14</sup> RULED	<sup>15</sup> RUDE	L
	<sup>16</sup>	<sup>17</sup>	<sup>18</sup>	
	<sup>19</sup>	<sup>20</sup>	<sup>21</sup>	



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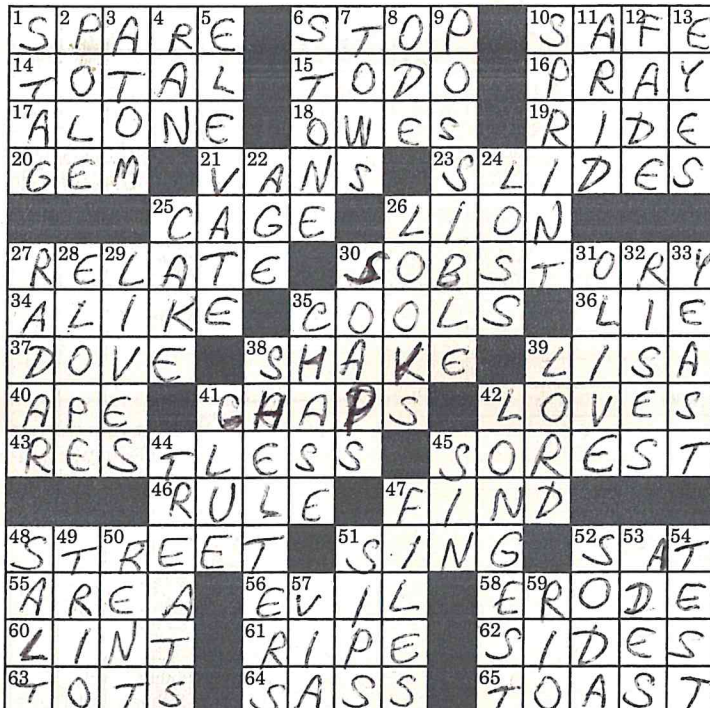
## ACROSS

1. Auto extra
6. Traffic-sign message
10. Secure
14. Complete sum
15. Big fuss: hyph. wd.
16. Ask earnestly
17. Unattended
18. Has a debt
19. Go by bus
20. Precious stone
21. Moving trucks
23. Playground chutes
25. Canary's home
26. Jungle monarch
27. Tell
30. Tale of woe: 2 wds.
34. Similar
35. Refrigerates
36. Falsehood
37. Peaceful bird
38. Quiver
39. Bart Simpson's sister
40. Mimic
41. London fellows\*
42. Adores
43. Unable to relax
45. Most painful
46. Govern
47. Discover
48. City thoroughfare
51. Vocalize
52. Took a chair
55. Region
56. Wicked
58. Wear away
60. Yarn fluff
61. Ready to pluck from the vine
62. Boundaries
63. Tiny youngsters
64. Back talk
65. Brown (bread)

7. Pulls (a car)
8. Lyric poem
9. Likely to happen
10. Short race
11. Dry
12. Lose coloring
13. Potato buds
22. Grow old
24. Red-ink entry
25. Birthday dessert
26. Watches
27. Detection system
28. Wed secretly
29. Resides
30. Detergents
31. Oil producer
32. Gets out of bed
33. Bread-baking need
35. Pursue
38. Provides housing for
39. British nobleman
41. Mystery solver?
42. Least brief
44. Attends to medically
45. Misdeed
47. Office records
48. Table seasoning
49. Singing group
50. Lease
51. Drinks through a straw
52. Soft drink
53. Fruit punches
54. Student exam
57. By way of
59. Spanish waterway

## DOWN

1. For men only
2. Vaulting aid
3. Powerful particle
4. Stood for office
5. Raise
6. Large pebble



Solution is on page 119

\*Oh, Siri!



**ACROSS**

1. Mournful
4. Rub out
9. Get even with?
14. Fermented malt drink
15. Tin or tungsten
16. Run away to wed
17. Many-faced actor Chaney
18. Picks out in a crowd
19. Freezing rain
20. Little hill-builders
22. United
23. That woman
24. Loathe
26. Expressed gratitude to
30. Expert
31. Farmer's concern
32. Formerly named
33. Reporter's report
36. Cut one's beard
37. Anger
38. "Present!"
39. The final frontier?
40. Mix
41. Noted period
42. Aspect
43. Slider's goals
44. *Id* —
45. Cost per unit
46. Buddy
47. Wobbles
49. Curfew setters
53. "— Maria"
54. Certain evergreen
55. Female horse

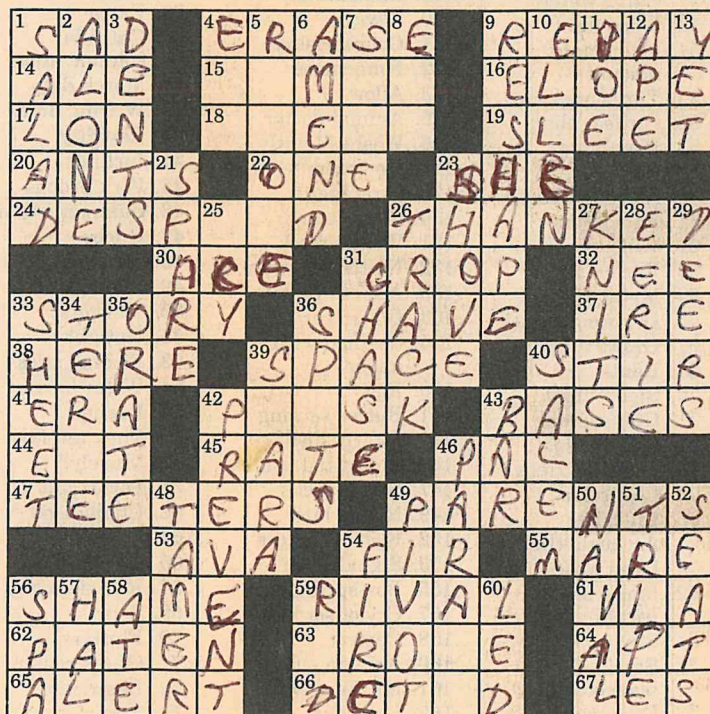
56. Disgrace; dishonor
59. Competitor
61. By way of
62. Eucharist disk
63. Deteriorate
64. Likely (to)
65. On one's toes
66. Distributed (with "out")
67. "— Misérables"
8. Overhead trains
9. Form anew
10. Ms. Burstyn
11. Poet Edgar Allan
12. "Great" jungle beast
13. However
21. Extra
23. Rude push
25. Very unfriendly
26. Leftover mark
27. Heals, as a broken bone
28. Weird
29. Stags and does
31. Pursue
33. Mattress cover
34. Brief
35. Give speeches
36. Tiffs

39. Use together
40. Oregon capital
42. Keep from happening
43. Happy hour locale
46. Procession
48. Less wild
49. Turning point
50. Of warships
51. Worthless stuff: slang
52. What tickets get you
54. Discharge
56. Health club
57. Director Ashby
58. Consumed
59. Dream-cycle occurrence
60. Guided

**DOWN**

1. Dieter's dish
2. Unescorted
3. Slight impressions
4. Printer's measures
5. Sleep
6. Make reparation (for)
7. Fully gratify

**Solution is on page 119**







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# CROSSWORD

## medium

### ACROSS

1. In favor of
4. Fired (a gun)
8. Open-hand blow
12. Male cat
15. Story
16. Heavy book
17. Horseback game
18. Regrets
20. Groom's mate
21. Prayer ending
22. Experts
23. Pronounce
25. Ventilator
26. Amigos
29. Retains
31. Notable period
32. Pitch lightly
34. Print measures
35. Location
37. Please
39. Brooches
41. Cashew, for one
42. Bright color
43. Round of cards
44. Theater areas
47. Relinquishes
49. Picnic spot
50. Skids
51. Cargo weight
52. Plant fluid
54. Medicinal amount
55. Threw rocks at
56. For fear that
57. Plaything
59. Skill
60. Anticipations
61. Pub orders
62. Valley
63. Encounter
65. Metal sources
66. Drinking vessel
67. Grows dim
68. Rants
70. Signal light
71. Golf average
72. Shoestrings
73. Scottish tribes
74. Lost color
76. Inflexible
77. Act coquettish
78. Used to be
79. Man's best friend?
81. Shy
82. Small blackboard
83. Diplomacy

84. Catch (crooks)
86. Narrative poem
87. Great joy
88. Bill of fare
89. Detest
90. Mesh snare
91. Operates, as a machine
92. Damages
93. Old-fashioned
94. Soak flax
96. Henhouse find
97. Harbors
98. Married women
99. Plunges headfirst
101. Misplaces
102. Colts' moms
103. Curtain support
104. Bakery treats
105. Resurrected
106. Tendon
109. Destinies
110. Gasp
111. Drove too fast
115. Keats works
116. Facets
117. Dullard
118. Put (down)
119. Immediately
120. Always
121. Counterfeited
122. Foundation
123. Allow
125. Animal doctor
126. Washes lightly
127. Ice-cream holder
128. Stratagems
130. Made (coins)
131. Weathercock
132. Neither's partner
133. Actress Lupino
134. Golfer's cry
135. Seethed with anger
139. Ego
141. Butter serving
142. Hearty dish
146. Elongated fish
147. Blue-pencils
149. Not as late
152. Fish 96-Across
153. Signaled "hi"
155. Box-spring part
157. Cry of sorrow
158. Correct
160. Arizona city
161. Ms. Fitzgerald
162. Send out

163. Pantry items
164. Secret agent
165. Snow runner
166. Cozy retreats
167. Terminate

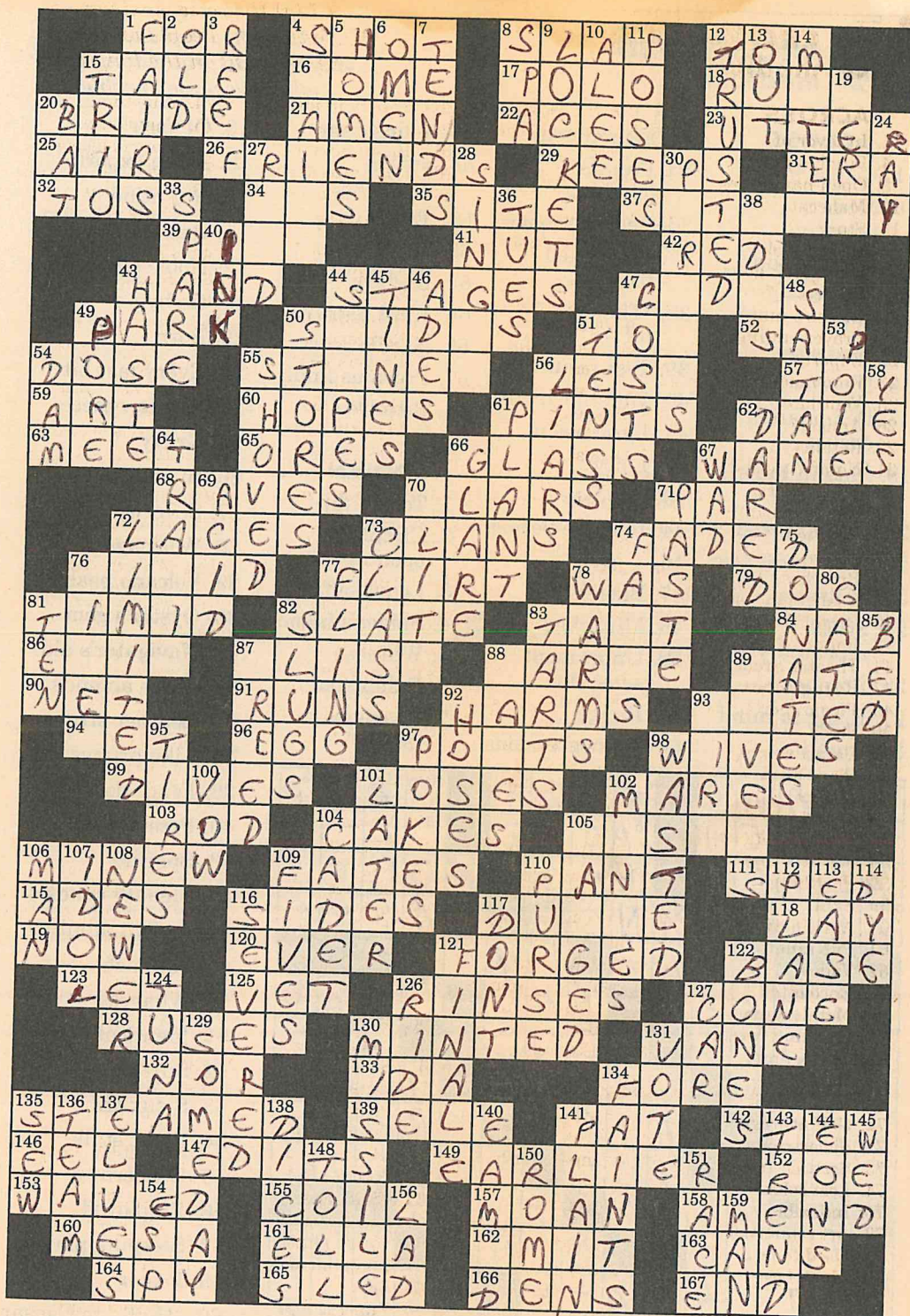
### DOWN

1. 4-H events
2. Antiquated
3. Shoal
4. Indelible marks
5. Residences
6. Prophetic sign
7. Is inclined (to)
8. Health club
9. Pendant cases
10. Downwind
11. Acts the model
12. Had faith in
13. "Leave!"
14. Apportions (with "out")
15. Small group
19. Feudal slave
20. Cave dweller
24. Light beam
27. Pull apart
28. Scorched
30. Permission-slip signers
33. Extra
36. Calendar column: abbr.
38. March date
40. Writing fluid
43. Rapidity
44. Inclines
45. Fork prongs
46. Summer coolers
47. Prices
48. The Devil
49. Skin opening
50. Markets
51. Uptight
53. Fishing stick
54. Water barrier
55. Pushed
56. They tell fibs
58. "Surely!"
61. Potted gift
62. Challenged
64. Calamitous
66. Harsh light
67. Roll of money
69. Sour
70. Flutters
71. Glue's cousin
72. Restricted
73. School group
74. True things
75. Contributes
76. More developed
77. Hurl; cast
78. Heats (up)
80. Fence openings
81. X
82. Hits hard
83. Small pies
85. Place to nap
87. Produce
88. Is concerned
89. Refuges
92. Garden tubes
93. Dreadful
95. Becomes weary
97. Jabs
98. Squandered
100. Pledge
101. In the future
102. Chops finely
104. West Pointer
105. Extended
106. Male heir
107. Adored one
108. More recent
109. Wallet bills
110. Handbag
112. Make smooth
113. Relieve
114. Tint (hair)
116. Cut off
117. "Please — Eat the Daisies"
121. Last section
122. Skeletal items
124. Sandwich fish
126. Go by bus
127. Automobile
129. See 101-Down
130. Launched weapon
131. Cast a ballot
134. Swoons
135. Stitch
136. Mets or Braves
137. Sprites
138. Cuts into cubes
140. Well-known
141. Ordinary
143. Latest fad
144. Ages and ages
145. Marry
148. Turnpike fee
150. Italian city
151. Speed contest
154. Seer's gift
156. Young fellow
159. Chess piece

• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •

*Marathoners: People who know  
things count in the long run*





Solution is on page 121





# 9 CROSSWORD medium

• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •  
*Juvenile delinquent: A minor  
who is a major problem*

## ACROSS

1. Displays
6. Medic's injection
10. Grating tone
14. "Little —," novel
15. Flag site
16. Director Kazan
17. Defendant's excuse
18. Puts in harm's way
20. Encountered
21. Wind indicator
23. Relieves
24. Strike repeatedly
25. Prophet
27. Bring to mind
30. Buddy
31. Monotonous
35. Presses (clothing)
36. Reading rooms
37. Consumed food
38. "They're all —!"
39. Test result
40. Worshiped one
41. Lyric poem
42. Lofty
43. Concede
44. Inactive period
46. — Aviv
47. Blazes (up)
48. Mimicked *Rally monkey?*
50. Unpleasant sensation
51. Range
54. Transgressions

55. Young bear

58. Switch (between)

61. Taunt

63. Heath

64. Declare

65. Went astray

66. Needle gaps

67. Precious finds

68. Requires

8. Of yore

9. Asian export

10. Attention

11. Pub drinks

12. Noble address

13. Go by

19. Born

22. Every last bit

24. Window piece

25. Gritty

26. In addition

27. Severity

28. Wear away

29. Volcano peaks

30. Oyster's gem

32. Navigator's aid

33. Make amends

34. Leather straps

36. Like prunes

39. Fence door

40. Persia, now

43. Sparkle

45. Slender candles

47. Ardent admirer

49. For each

50. Wharves

51. Identical

52. Surfeit

53. Sioux tribe

54. Plant stalk

55. Concern

56. Employed

57. Sleeping places

59. Pester

60. "Hail!" to Caesar

62. Before: poetic

**Solution is on page 119**

## DOWN

1. Took a dip

2. Circular opening

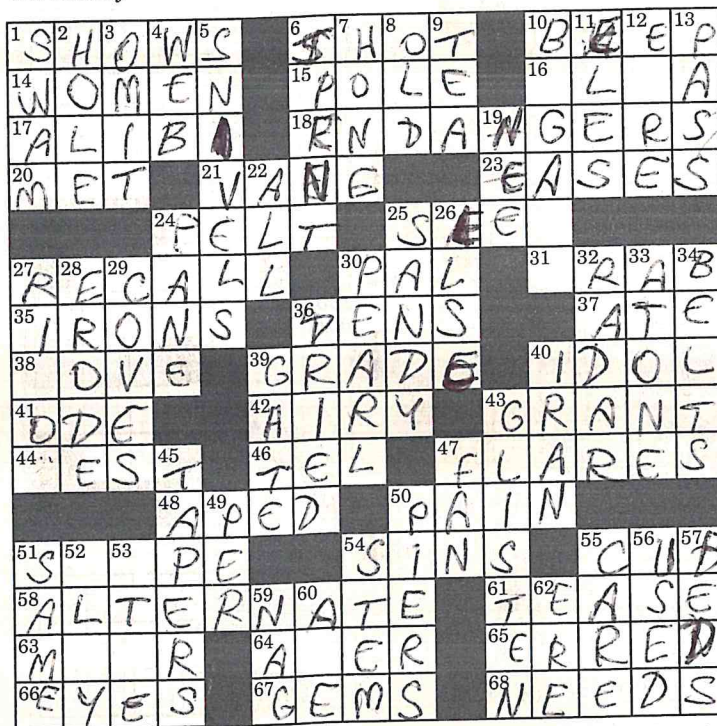
3. Leave out

4. Spider's home

5. Whines

6. Exhausted

7. Sharpen (skills)



*Wake up and  
smell the bottles?*



• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •  
*Sign at a corn stand: "Ears lookin'  
 at you, kid!"*

# CROSSWORD medium 10

## ACROSS

1. Caper
5. Garfield, for one
8. Shoot the breeze
12. State for the record
13. Heathen
15. Tramp
16. Mexican money
17. Put on a pedestal
18. "So be it!"
19. Missteps on the court
21. Attics
23. Anger
24. Taxi device
25. Created
27. Except
28. Lunch or brunch
31. Golfer's cry
32. Nourished
33. One who ribs
35. Follow in the footsteps of?
36. Enemy
37. Suitable
38. "Hail!"
39. — loving care
41. Cooking vessel
42. Very old
43. Test of courage
44. Opposite of good
45. Harbor construction
46. Church official
48. Malone of "Cheers"
49. Irons (clothing)
52. Four-quart measures
56. Boys

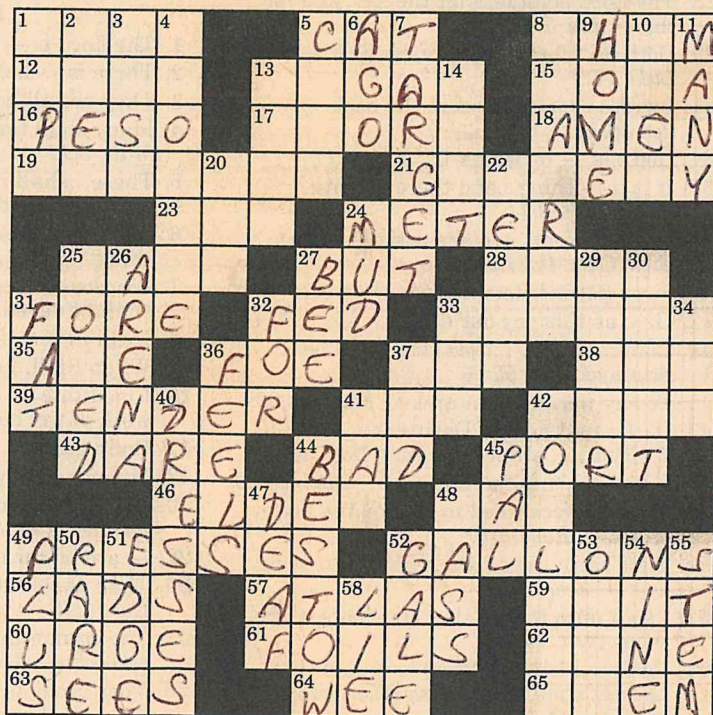
57. Book of maps
59. New York canal
60. Basic desire
61. Wraps for leftovers
62. Rational
63. Witnesses
64. Like Willie Winkie
65. Iditarod vehicle

## DOWN

1. In a trance
2. Word before "bite" or "bearing"
3. Plain sight?
4. Make available
5. Unmannerly men
6. In the past
7. Bull's-eye, to an archer
8. Burnt
9. Where the heart is?
10. Aid in wrongdoing
11. Lots
13. Wan
14. Without ice
20. Sooner than, to Shakespeare
22. Send money due
24. Soggy earth
25. Sulked
26. Bout venue
27. Honey maker
29. Saying
30. Crowbar, for example
31. Overweight
32. In favor of

33. Relatives
34. — herring, misleading clue
36. Senses
37. Passing fancy
40. Puts on clothes
41. Handicapping basis
42. Without purpose
44. Confer
45. Buddy
47. Unable to hear
48. Lip
49. Not to mention
50. Pink, as steak
51. Border
52. Strong wind
53. Of the mouth
54. The whole — yards
55. Plant embryo
58. Falsehood

Solution is on page 119



*In Ex-Em?*



All references are from the King James Version.

**ACROSS**

1. I shall be whiter than —. *Ps. 51:7*
5. He hath — his bow, and made it ready. *Ps. 7:12*
9. Final word of the Bible
13. See that ye — one another with a pure heart. *I Pet. 1:22*
14. Lamech took unto him two wives: the name of one was —. *Gen. 4:19*
15. I be — in speech, yet not in knowledge. *II Cor. 11:6*
16. Our little —, our wives...shall be there. *Num. 32:26*
17. There is...a time to get, and a — to lose. *Eccles. 3:1,6*
18. When — (2 wds.) the blood, I will pass over you. *Ex. 12:13*
19. He himself — (2 wds.) day's journey into the wilderness. *I Ki. 19:4*
21. Ye eat it; with your loins girded, your shoes on your —. *Ex. 12:11*
23. I — you forth as lambs among wolves. *Luke 10:3*
24. He saith...— are ye fearful? *Matt. 8:26*
26. — is me! for I am undone. *Isa. 6:5*
28. The Lord shall hiss for the fly...and for the —. *Isa. 7:18*
29. Doth he thank that servant...? I — not. *Luke 17:9*
31. I wrote them with — in the book. *Jer. 36:18*
34. God...is — to deliver us. *Dan. 3:17*
37. It is a — thing...and there is none other. *Dan. 2:11*
39. Joseph...sent...ten she asses — with corn. *Gen. 45:21,23*
41. — us not into temptation. *Matt. 6:13*
42. Give us this day our daily —. *Matt. 6:11*
44. Liars...shall —...and they shall be dismayed. *Jer. 50:36*
45. Ye pay tithe of mint and —. *Matt. 23:23*
47. In the first year of Darius the —...I ...stood to...strengthen him. *Dan. 11:1*
48. I am God, and there is none —. *Isa. 45:22*
49. We were reconciled to God by the death of his —. *Rom. 5:10*
50. Thus saith the Lord...Turn...from your evil —. *Zech. 1:4*
52. I said unto them...shut the doors, and — them. *Neh. 7:3*
54. I will punish — in Babylon...and the nations shall not flow together...unto him. *Jer. 51:44*

55. That which groweth of — own accord...thou shalt not reap. *Lev. 25:5*
56. If he thrust him...or — at him...he is a murderer. *Num. 35:20,21*
59. Israel beheld Joseph's sons...and said, God...bless the —. *Gen. 48:8,15,16*
62. Thine is the kingdom, and the —, and the glory, for ever. *Matt. 6:13*
67. All they which dwelt in — heard the word of the Lord. *Acts 19:10*
68. I will put my hook in thy —. *II Ki. 19:28*
70. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of — enemies. *Ps. 23:5*
71. The thoughts of the diligent — only to plenteousness. *Prov. 21:5*
72. I will dwell in the house of the Lord for —. *Ps. 23:6*
73. He that heareth the word...— with joy receiveth it. *Matt. 13:20*
74. Make fifty loops on the — of the one curtain. *Ex. 26:10*
75. With what measure ye —, it shall be measured to you. *Matt. 7:2*
76. On the seventh day thou shalt —. *Ex. 34:21*

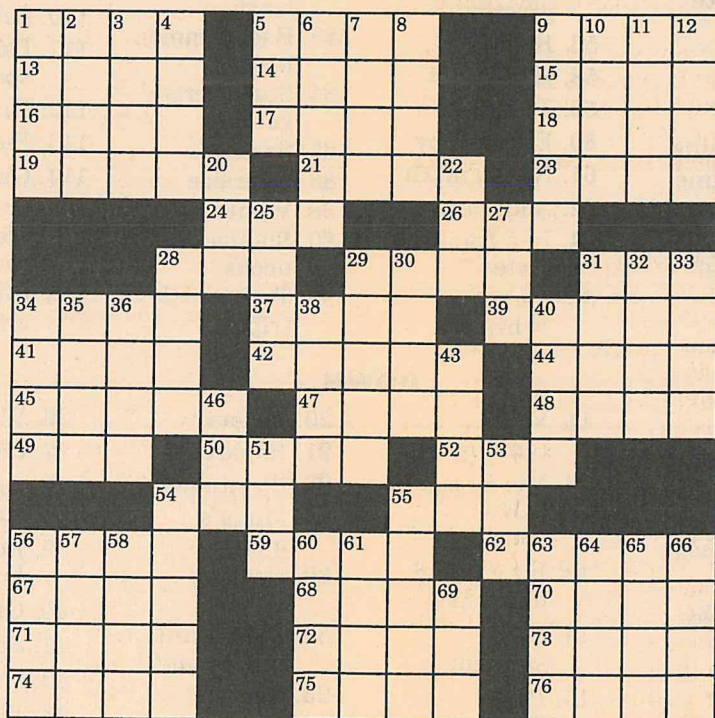
**DOWN**

1. The Lord is — to anger. *Nah. 1:3*
2. There is — holy as the Lord. *I Sam. 2:2*
3. They are all hot as an —. *Hos. 7:7*
4. Many shall come from the east and —. *Matt. 8:11*
5. These...shall not be eaten...the lapwing, and the —. *Lev. 11:13,19*
6. All things are lawful for me, but all things — not. *I Cor. 10:23*
7. Whosoever...call upon the — of the Lord shall be saved. *Rom. 10:13*
8. I will never...forsake —. *Heb. 13:5*
9. When I fall, I shall —. *Mic. 7:8*
10. I meditate on all thy works; I — on the work of thy hands. *Ps. 143:5*
11. God's garden
12. Ye have — of patience. *Heb. 10:36*
20. Let all the earth fear the Lord:...stand in — of him. *Ps. 33:8*
22. — are better than one. *Eccles. 4:9*
25. Thou shalt eat the — of the field. *Gen. 3:18*
27. The cormorant and the bittern...the screech — also shall rest. *Isa. 34:11,14*
28. They brought...the sick...and laid them on —...and they were healed. *Acts 5:15,16*



29. I...will cut down the tall cedar —.  
*II Ki. 19:23*
30. Day by day...he — in the book. *Neh. 8:18*
31. They made a calf...and offered sacrifice unto the —. *Acts 7:41*
32. The wicked fall into their own —.  
*Ps. 141:10*
33. As I live, saith the Lord, every — shall bow to me. *Rom. 14:11*
34. They shall say in all the highways, —!  
*Amos 5:16*
35. These were...the sons of Merari by Jaaziah; —, and Shoham. *I Chr. 24:19,27*
36. Mary...seeth two angels...where the body of Jesus had —. *St. John 20:11,12*
38. David...ran into the —...and saluted his brethren. *I Sam. 17:22*
40. Arad and —...were...chief men...in Jerusalem. *I Chr. 8:15,28*
43. Go, sell the oil, and pay thy —. *II Ki. 4:7*
46. Whether it be cow or —, ye shall not kill it and her young. *Lev. 22:28*
51. Love the Lord thy God with — thy heart.  
*Matt. 22:37*
53. The...child shall play on the hole of the —. *Isa. 11:8*
54. Ehud...thrust...and the haft also went in after the —. *Judg. 3:21,22*
55. A city that — (2 wds.) on an hill cannot be hid. *Matt. 5:14*
56. I say unto you...do good to them which — you. *Luke 6:27*
57. He...— enchantments, and dealt with...spirits. *II Ki. 21:6*
58. The king took his — from his hand.  
*Esth. 3:10*
60. Unto the sons of Gershom were given...Ramothe...and —. *I Chr. 6:71,73*
61. He saw...the Spirit like a — descending upon him. *Mark 1:10*
63. Grandson of Esau by his son Eliphaz
64. He said...drink no — nor strong drink.  
*Judg. 13:7*
65. Adam's grandson by his son Seth
66. Mordecai — his clothes, and put on sackcloth with ashes. *Esth. 4:1*
69. How long will it be — thou be quiet?  
*Jer. 47:6*

**Solution is on page 119**



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### ACROSS

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|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Hardwood trees        | 40. Sly, sidelong look    | 67. Hard to understand       | 91. Gala event                  |
| 5. Muddle                | 41. Scoff (at)            | 68. Flat fee?                | 92. Slight fight                |
| 9. Labels                | 42. Sing sans words       | 69. Devilfish and skate      | 93. Monticello and Mount Vernon |
| 13. Bulk                 | 43. Rub the wrong way?    | 70. Trifles (with)           | 94. All in order                |
| 17. Cain's brother       | 44. Swindles: slang       | 71. Be human?                | 95. Rear of an aircraft         |
| 18. Admirer of Narcissus | 45. Hot cross item        | 72. Whitman, for one         | 96. Get out of sight            |
| 19. Nepal's locale       | 46. Swelled head          | 73. Soviet news agency       | 97. Elbow's need, at times      |
| 20. Monopoly of a sort   | 47. Attract               | 74. Harsh                    | 98. Spanish article             |
| 22. Adjusts              | 48. Crucifix              | 77. Shirt size               | 99. Royal topper                |
| 24. Twine                | 49. — of the barrel       | 79. Home of Chaucer's "Wife" | 101. Bloke                      |
| 25. Esoteric             | 52. Look up to            | 80. Be adequate for          | 103. Vigilant                   |
| 26. Wire measure         | 54. Defraud               | 81. High card                | 109. Audience's demand          |
| 27. Heavy weights        | 55. Affectionate greeting | 82. Quick to learn           | 110. Select                     |
| 29. Repudiate            | 56. By way of             | 83. Backgammon need          | 111. Part of speech             |
| 31. Safety fastener      | 58. High point            | 84. Superheroes' garb        | 112. Dietary need               |
| 32. Stare in disbelief   | 59. Junkyard              | 85. Sesame                   | 113. Pieced (out)               |
| 34. Frightening          | 60. Escorted by           | 86. Appraise                 | 114. Garden storage             |
| 36. Out of tune          | 61. Not as much           | 88. Vacated                  | 115. Wolves' cousins            |
| 37. Dolt                 | 62. Additional            | 89. Sheltered nooks          | 116. Cornfield cries            |
| 38. Bird watchers?       | 64. In a frantic state    | 90. Took a little trip?      |                                 |
| 39. Put on (a show)      | 66. Shoppers' "wheels"    |                              |                                 |

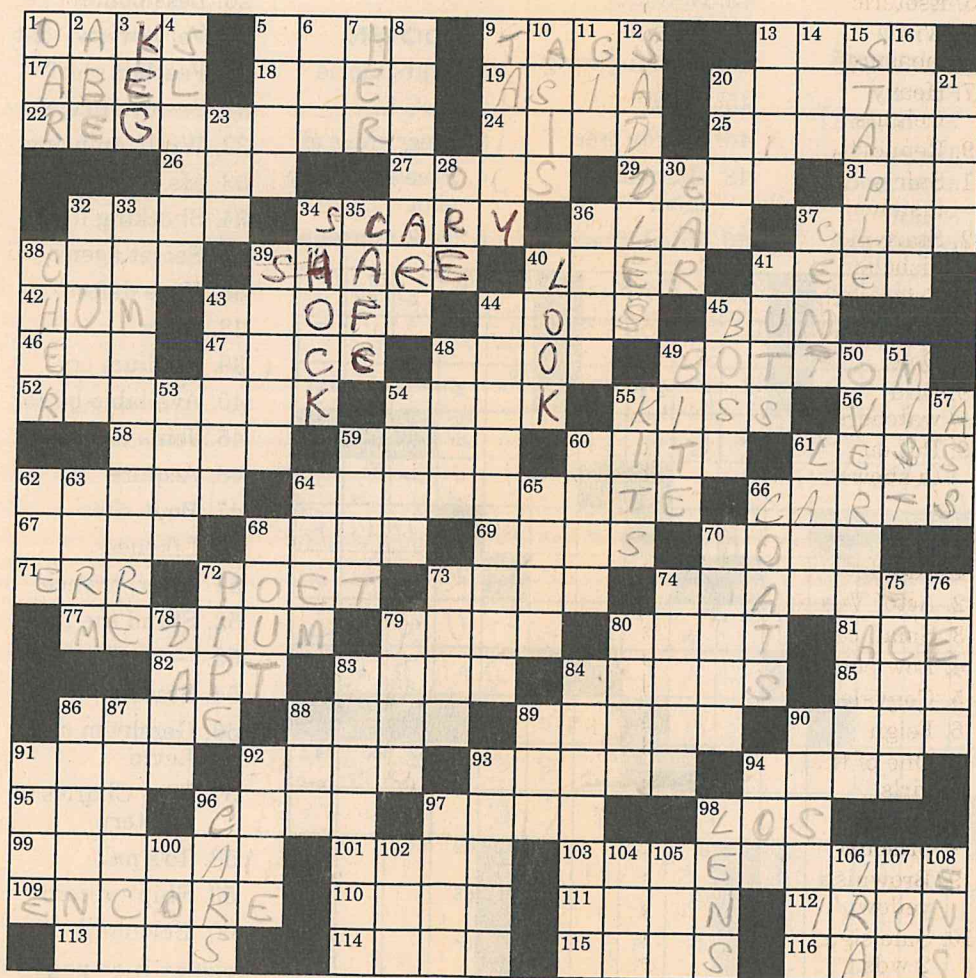
### DOWN

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|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. Paddle             | 11. Veggie container              | 20. Jargon               | 36. Ward (off)          |
| 2. Actor Vigoda       | 12. Mel Brooks movie, "Blazing —" | 21. Impart               | 37. Copper coin         |
| 3. Small cask         | 13. It's a grand old name         | 23. Be situated          | 38. One-named superstar |
| 4. Low points         | 14. Circle segment                | 28. Miner's quarry       | 39. Remove the husks    |
| 5. Convalesce         | 15. Paper fastener                | 30. Hearing organ        | 40. Glance              |
| 6. Feign              | 16. Member of the upper class?    | 32. Dashboard instrument | 41. Sticks out          |
| 7. One of the girls   |                                   | 33. General mood         | 43. Unblemished         |
| 8. Political prisoner |                                   | 34. Jolt                 | 44. Work together       |
| 9. Brownish-yellow    |                                   | 35. Sidewalk eatery      | 45. "Nonsense!"         |
| 10. Sale sign: 2 wds. |                                   |                          | 48. Gambol              |



49. Quick lunch
50. Exaggerated
51. Light fog
53. Hatchery sound
54. Oxidize
55. First-aid items
57. Pack animal
59. Surface depression
60. Methods
61. Minstrel poems
62. Horatian creation
63. Expression
64. Judge
65. Hasty
66. Paint layers
68. Overwhelming defeat
70. Takes a stab at
72. Sherlock's smoke
73. Savoir-faire
74. Tricks
75. Without warmth
76. Sister's room
78. Take out
79. Punch: slang
80. Computer order
83. Flaws
84. Mastery
86. Free from impurities
87. Assail
88. Cover
89. Sound from a cote
90. Of boxing
91. Cinematography effect
92. Clock
93. Expected wishfully
94. Summer shade?
96. What drovers drive
97. Autumn need
98. Telescope part
100. Gentle creature
102. Cry of contempt
104. Overly
105. Yank
106. Lyricist Gershwin
107. Solemn promise
108. Half ems

Solution is on page 121



\*Don't remind me, Dell!

Taking you what off?

# 13 CROSSWORD medium

oyvey.com!

• Lighthearted Lexicon •  
Pastry chefs' convention:  
Sweet encounter

## ACROSS

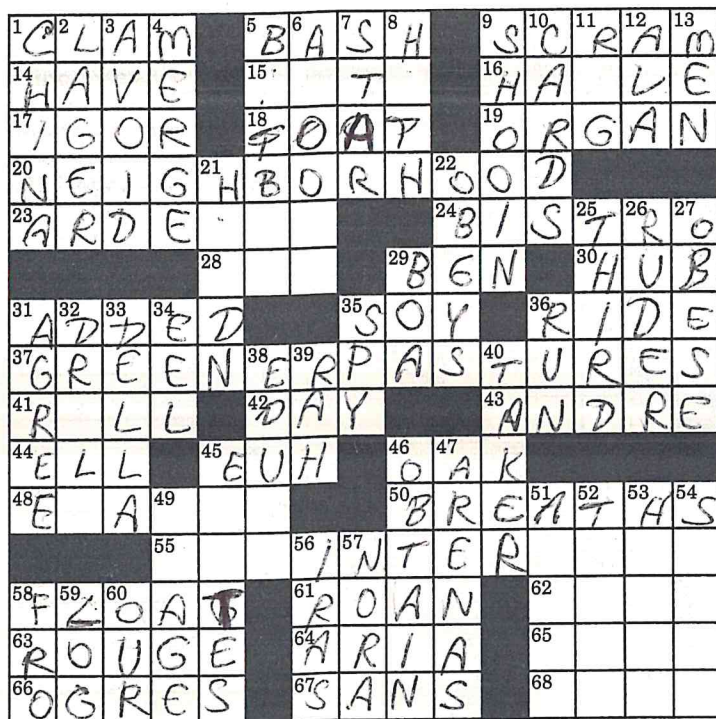
1. Tasty bivalve
5. Gala party: slang
9. "Beat it!": slang
14. Possess
15. Play starter: 2 wds.
16. Ethiopia's Selassie
17. Composer Stravinsky
18. Blow one's own horn
19. Church instrument
20. Spot for Mr. Rogers\*
23. Trying experiences
24. Small restaurant
28. Da
29. Actor Affleck
30. Center of importance
31. Did sums
35. Chinese sauce
36. Be a fare
37. The other side of the fence?: 2 wds.
41. Move on wheels
42. 24 hours
43. Netman Agassi
44. Building wing
45. "Yuk!"
46. Sturdy tree
48. Galahad's mom
50. Inhalations

55. Take the wrong way
58. Parade entry
61. Horse shade
62. Raise (children)
63. Color for cheeks
64. Sills offering
65. Roof overhang
66. Fairy-tale monsters
67. Without
68. Hobo's meal

6. Puzzle header
7. Celebrity
8. Lofty
9. Sure thing: hyph. wd.
10. Deck members
11. Equip
12. Like: 2 wds.
13. Game pieces
21. Composer nicknamed Papa
22. Follows rules
25. Show, in a race
26. Less polite
27. Very overweight
29. Feather scarf
31. See eye to eye
32. Wryly amusing
33. Ms. Reese
34. Shocking fish?
35. Secret agent
36. Hose defect
38. Rims
39. Stadium cry
40. Available bettor
45. Joins together
46. Acquire
47. Bout sites
49. Likeness
51. After: French
52. Stand the tab
53. "— ho!"
54. Scatter
56. Gershwin and Levin
57. Mrs. Charles of mystery
58. To's pal
59. Ship's record
60. Belonging to us

## DOWN

1. Pants fabric
2. Ale's kin
3. Steer clear of
4. Freeway-ramp sign
5. Talk nonsense



Solution is on page 119

\*Terri's idol?

Attendance  
52,047?



## NAMING NAMES

In each equation below, part of a common name has been replaced with a definition for a word that is contained within that name. By answering the definition and completing the equation, you will find the name. For example, the answer to "RIC + difficult" would be RICHARD (RIC + hard) and the answer to "winner + IA" would be VICTORIA (victor + IA).

Answers are on page 129.

### FEMALE NAMES

1. continuous noise + exclamation of wonder = \_\_\_\_\_
2. P + omelet base + Y = \_\_\_\_\_
3. B + always + LY = \_\_\_\_\_
4. angry + GE = \_\_\_\_\_
5. automobile + chess pieces = \_\_\_\_\_
6. can material + A = \_\_\_\_\_
7. K + consumed = \_\_\_\_\_

### MALE NAMES

1. C + songbird = \_\_\_\_\_
2. rule or statute + Stimpy's cartoon pal + CE = \_\_\_\_\_
3. M + either's partner + stopwatch = \_\_\_\_\_
4. ocean + N = \_\_\_\_\_
5. personal pronoun + delivery vehicle = \_\_\_\_\_
6. male child + 500, in ancient Rome = \_\_\_\_\_
7. word after "Westward" + political district = \_\_\_\_\_

## DOUBLE-NITIONS

Many of our everyday words have more than one meaning. Below are twelve pairs of definitions; both definitions in each pair fit the same word, which should be entered on the space provided. When read down, the first letters of the twelve answer words will spell out the name of a recent choice for Time Magazine's Man of the Year.

Answer is on page 125.

1. Cartoon flying squirrel OR covered with stones \_\_\_\_\_
2. Always the same OR soldier's outfit \_\_\_\_\_
3. Place with little rainfall OR abandon \_\_\_\_\_
4. Knitter's material OR sailor's story \_\_\_\_\_
5. Collecting (sticks) OR an assembly \_\_\_\_\_
6. One-twelfth of a foot OR move (along) slowly \_\_\_\_\_
7. Say OR absolute and complete \_\_\_\_\_
8. Chain components OR a golf course \_\_\_\_\_
9. Religious picture OR computer image \_\_\_\_\_
10. Fish OR a point of view \_\_\_\_\_
11. Written warning OR observe \_\_\_\_\_
12. Inactive OR run at minimum speed, as an engine \_\_\_\_\_

# CRYPTOQUIZZES

A Cryptoquiz is a group of related words in a simple substitution code — one set of letters has been substituted for the correct letters of the words in each group. The title and the example of each group will help you identify the words. Look for words that might reveal themselves by their distinctive spelling or by frequently used letters. When you have identified a word, knowing the letters will help you decode the other words in that group, because if A stands for T in one word, it will be the same throughout that group. Each group, though, has a different code.

Answers are on page 127.

## 1. FOODS COOKED BY BOILING

Example: cauliflower

F U U Q  
H F F C Q  
S K C W K U Q  
Y E H H E U F  
X K K W O F Q  
Y K N X  
R K C E C K F Q  
Q C N Z X U H F E X Q  
Q R E U S F C C Z  
Y E N N K C Q

## 3. CHRISTMAS-TREE DECORATIONS

Example: gingerbread men

H Q E I G  
W H Q A L W H Q I O  
O M H T  
C I G G O  
W T H Q C I T T N I O  
M N Q O I G  
Z T Q H F I Q M O  
E H T G H Q A O  
T N C C Z Q O  
G N E D M O

## 2. THEY'RE OFTEN IMITATED

Example: W.C. Fields

G V L B T Z D G H D L H Y  
E V G Y K S V X D Y Z  
N F G I N L Y Z U H X V L Q  
G V Y C Y K Q  
Y T W B K I L Y K T Y Z  
G V L T H D U L V D O H  
E H N D C V Z D Y  
Y O K F T T B W V D  
X L H F S N H G V L P  
E V S M D B S N H T K H D

## 4. ALL ABOUT MASSACHUSETTS

Example: JFK Library

M E A W E G  
B O S T O N  
A R C S Q  
S A L E M  
J R B S J E H  
C A P E C O D  
W K S M R F A W R W S  
T H E B A Y S T A T E  
B C F Q E I W K V E J Y  
P L Y M O U T H R O C K  
G S X S G D C R G H  
N E W E N G L A N D  
X R C H S G B E G H  
W A L D E N P O N D  
E C H A W I V M V O H D S  
O L D S T U R B R I D G E  
N O C C R D S  
C O L L E G E  
W K S M S V Y A K O V S A  
T H E B E R K S H I R E S

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# QUOTATION PUZZLES

In each puzzle below, you are to fit the letters in each column into the boxes directly above them. The letters may or may not go into the boxes in the same order in which they are given. It is up to you to decide which letter goes into which box above it. Once a letter is used, cross it off the bottom half of the diagram and do not use it again. A black square indicates the end of a word. When the diagrams have been filled in, you will be able to find the completed quotations by reading across the boxes.

Answers are on page 127.

1.

E	A	Y	L	Y	R	S	E	P	T	P	M	B	E	R	S	O	F	S	N
E	T	H	O	A	G	C	E	N	N	R	O	F	S	F	O	R	T	I	R
	A	L	L	U		R	U	A	E	U	S	S	R	E	E	S	D	U	S
			E			G	A			E		T		I	N				

2.

S	E	E	F	G	R	A	P	T	T	A	E	G	I	T	I				
U	S	A	I	S	R	G	A	A	O	F	S	T	C	E	U				
O	N			N	I	E	N	P	E	I	P	N	N	N	I				
D				O						R	O	E							

*Ann Harwood  
Topical Deadset  
again!  
Are We In Canada?  
V & R Records*

3.

R	O	A	T	N	R	S		O	H	D	B	J	H	E	G	S	T		
F	E	N	I	U	I	E		T	E	E	O	E	I	I	R	I	W		
T	H	R	G	O	N	E		T	F		E	T	O	Y	N	G			
B	E				G	S		R	O			E	M	N					



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# FIGGERITS

Your finished Figgerit will yield a little truism written onto the **SOLUTION** dashes. First, fill in as many answers to the **DEFINITIONS** as you can. Then, transfer their letters onto both the **SOLUTION** dashes and any other **WORDS** dashes with identical

*The Inn Parade*  
*'Sweet Home Numerit'*  
*all of it*  
*UCI Records*

1. DEFINITIONS	WORDS
Beatles ballad .....	Y E S T E R D A Y
Talks very softly .....	W H I S P E R S
Lie (about) lazily .....	L O U N G E
Large hill .....	M O U N T A I N
Well-formed .....	S H A P E L Y
Liberace's instrument .....	P I A N O
Robin Hood's love .....	M A R I O N

**SOLUTION:** W H E N   Y O U   A R E  
 A L R E A D Y   I N   M O T I O N  
 P U S H I N G   O N   I S   E A S Y

2. DEFINITIONS	WORDS
Go to (school) .....	26 28 32 3 6 14
Loafer insert .....	8 3 21 13 17
Fully alert: hyph. wd. ....	24 33 14 9 5 23 26 1 31
Cinderella's carriage, once .....	4 19 11 8 20 15 6
Rip van — .....	23 12 34 20 30 2
Christmas, for one .....	25 7 30 33 14 5 17
Walking: 2 wds. ....	18 10 16 22 29 27

**SOLUTION:** 1 2 3 4   5 6   7 8 9 10   11 12 13 14  
 15 16   17 18 19   20 21 22 23   24 25 26 27   28 29  
 30 31 32   33 34



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numbers, since in each Figgerit, a letter is allowed to have more than one number. For example, the numbers 6 and 9 might both stand for "r." Note: Each Figgerit has a different pattern of number/letter substitutions. Solutions are on page 129.

**Word lists are on page 127.**

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### 3. DEFINITIONS

Got a diploma .....

In continuous exploration .....

Cause for a dental visit .....

Take a load off: 2 wds. ....

Faint, old style .....

Snowman of song .....

Desirable traits .....

## WORDS

WORDS							
24	36	17	23	28	11	19	6
20	25	38	36	1	33	14	22
19	8	27	16	2	21	1	33
12	35	29	10	3	37	18	
13	37	9	30	18			
31	36	4	13	32	39		
11	5	20	34	26	15		

**SOLUTION:**

**SOLUTION:**

<u>CHOOSE</u>			<u>GOD</u>									
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
<u>AS</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>IS</u>	<u>TA</u>	<u>NT</u>	<u>S</u>		<u>AN</u>	<u>D</u>		<u>GE</u>	<u>T</u>	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
<u>OU</u>	<u>T</u>		<u>OF</u>	<u>THE</u>	<u>IR</u>		<u>WA</u>	<u>Y</u>				
27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39

#### 4. DEFINITIONS

Unpunished: hyph. wd. ....

Train depots .....

Spouse, perhaps .....

Become gradually smaller: 2 wds. ....

Painful headache .....

Confuses: 2 wds. ....

Novices .....

## WORDS

WORDS									
S	C	O	T	F	R	E	E		
19	40	10	27	29	36	32	28		
<del>S</del>	<del>O</del>	<del>T</del>	<del>A</del>	<del>S</del>	<del>I</del>	<del>O</del>	<del>N</del>		
18	23	7	25	37	17	11	22		
C	O	M	P	A	N	I	O	N	N
40	16	2	34	14	39	5	30		6
P	E	T	E	R	O	U	T		
34	35	8	28	31	16	26	25		
M	I	G	R	A	I	N	E		
2	12	4	18	3	24	39	38		
M	I	X	E	S	U	P			
2	1	33	32	19	20	15			
B	E	G	L	N	V	E	R	S	
21	41	4	9	6	11	35	31	22	

**SOLUTION:**

**SOLUTION:** 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14  
15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31  
32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41

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## CATEGORHYMES

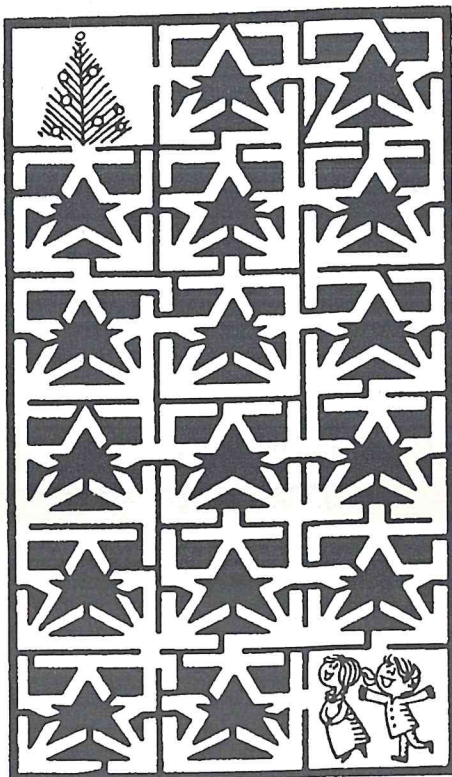
To solve each Categorhyme, think of ten items that belong in the given category and that also rhyme with the given words. For example, LAKE rhymes with "steak" and is a watery place. It might help to say each given word out loud to listen to its sound. Our answers are on page 129.

### 1. WATERY PLACES

steak	_____
liver	_____
tea	_____
cream	_____
beak	_____
wand	_____
motion	_____
crook	_____
muddle	_____
pomp	_____

### 2. BOATS

anew	_____
cot	_____
terry	_____
stiff	_____
bruiser	_____
waiter	_____
fetch	_____
punk	_____
utter	_____
scoop	_____



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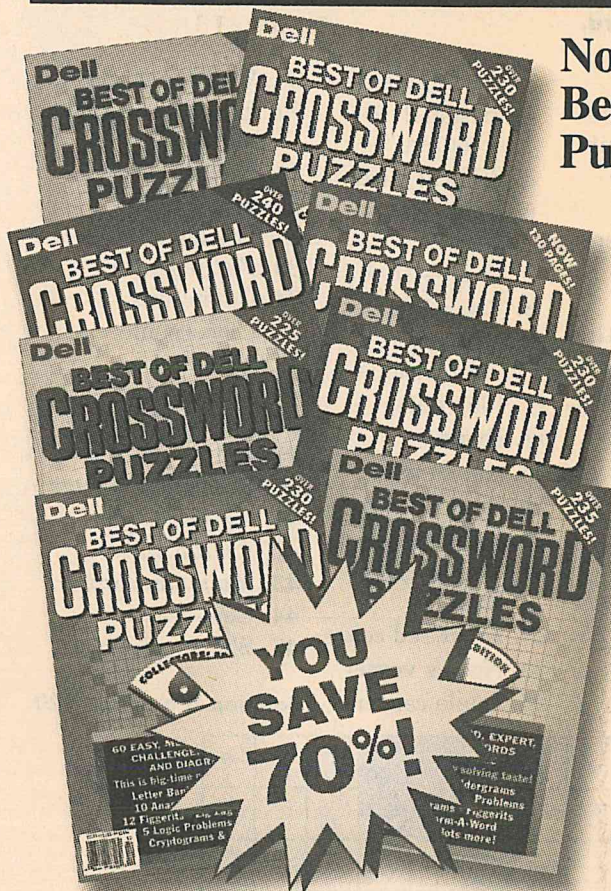
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# 1 DIAGRAMLESS easy

Puzzle 1 is started for you. Starting boxes are available for the others. Use both the definitions and the definition numbers as aids in supplying the words and the black squares to go into the

diagram. The pattern of black squares in each Diagramless is symmetrical (see below). Insert a number with every starting letter of a word across or down, and a black square at the end of every word.

## ACROSS

1. Vigor
4. Man's singing voice
9. Cave resident
12. Anger
13. Cherish
14. High card
15. Mobile home
17. Metal molds
19. Cozy room
20. Truthful
21. October gems
24. Shopping wagons
25. Give a job to
26. Thick strings
27. Raised train
29. Pen fluid
30. Shows concern
31. Sheep's cry
32. Average
33. Canine treats
34. Wren or robin
35. Peels (fruit)
36. Comical
37. Flight of steps
39. For each
40. Squander
41. Provide (with)
45. Likely (to)
46. Butter-making device
48. Dove's call
49. "Busy" insect
50. Rubber wheels
51. Conclude
3. Pod vegetable
4. Fictional accounts
5. Biblical garden
6. Neither's partner
7. This — that
8. Tapes (a show)
9. Military installations
10. Play parts
11. Exam
16. Not in use
18. Picnic pests
20. Rabbits' kin
21. The Buckeye State
22. Light-red color
23. Noah's vessel
24. Apple centers
26. Walking sticks
27. Acquire through merit
28. Knight's wife
30. Make right
31. Storage box
33. Fishing lure
34. Catch fire
35. Classroom adhesive
36. Leafy plants
37. Mop (a deck)
38. Sticky strip
39. Free from defects
41. Animal's coat
42. Frozen water
43. Male offspring
44. Coal scuttle
47. Short greeting

## DOWN

1. Deep hole
2. Make a mistake

Solution is on page 120



The Sacramento  
Quema?

Yes! Yes!  
Pants on...



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## DIAGRAMLESS 2

medium

### ACROSS

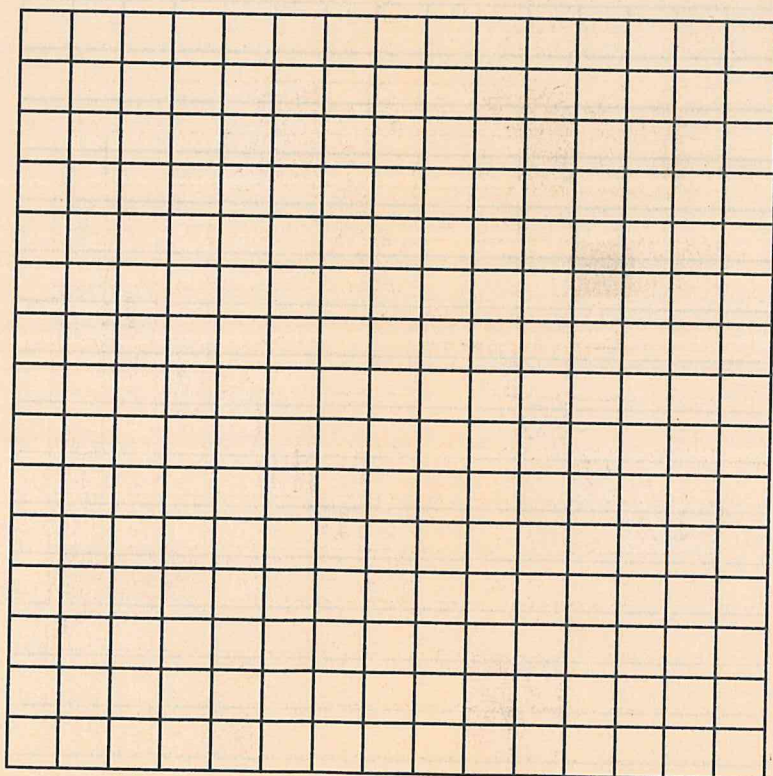
1. Jay Leno's prominent feature
4. Spot for a snooze
7. Countenance
8. Notable period
11. Shakespeare's river
13. Strobe
14. Furniture-moving truck
15. Decorate again
16. Boats like Noah's
17. Hard-boiled item
18. Short memos
20. Spool
22. Consumed
24. Let fall
26. Pay for others
28. Health resort
29. Male heir
30. That woman
32. Condition
34. Sensory organs
36. Take to court
37. Back of the neck
39. Turn
43. Drink from a straw
44. Nevada city
47. Additional amount
49. — out, supplement
50. Wanders
51. Farming device

52. View
53. Neglect
54. Lyric poem
55. Slippery fish

### DOWN

1. Car lifter
2. High cards
3. Marry
4. Pub fixture
5. Tied
6. Extinct bird
7. Distant
8. Always
9. Stormed
10. Makes wrathful
12. "She loves me, she loves me —"
13. Thick adhesive
19. Get a salary
21. Hacks (off)
23. Comfort
25. Butter squares
26. Foot digit
27. Comparison word
29. Chunky soup
31. Wipes out
33. Certain vehicles
35. Huge nail
38. Dueling sword
40. Mischievous child
41. Diva's offering
42. Walked upon
44. The Eternal City
45. Sinful
46. Large seine
48. Ram's mate
50. Fish eggs

**Solution is on page 120**





### 3 DIAGRAMLESS medium

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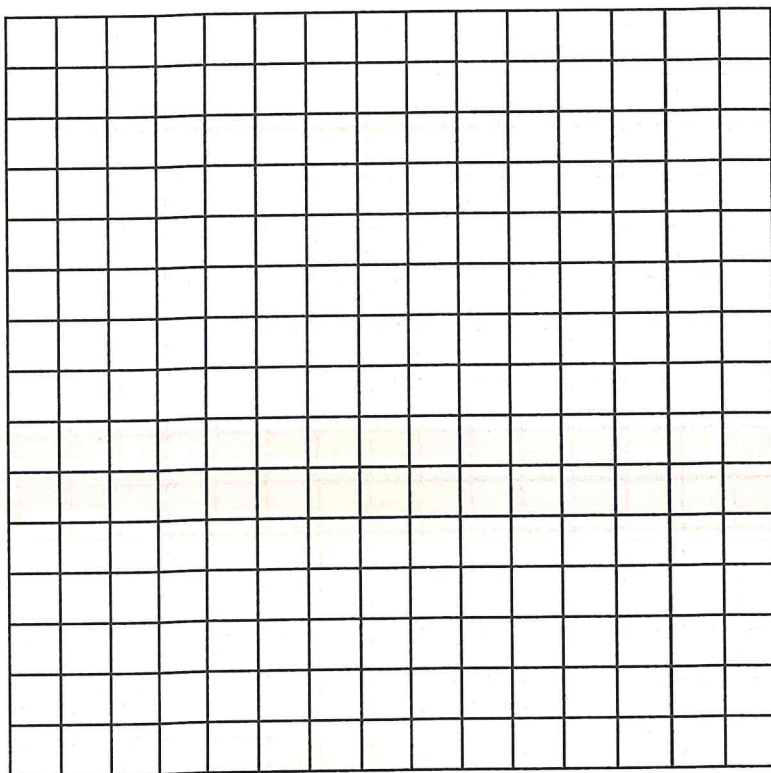
#### ACROSS

1. Meatloaf ingredient
5. Grasp firmly
10. British nobleman
11. Navigator's aid
12. Direction indicator
14. Letter after psi
15. Aptitude: hyph. wd.
17. Refusal on the Senate floor
18. Oboe insert
19. Pay hike
22. Browns (a bagel)
25. Excessive
26. Drummers' seats
28. Steel tower
30. Norwegian king
32. Indistinct
35. Be unfaithful to: hyph. wd. (slang)
38. Potato exporter
40. Dawn
41. Foreign
42. Fury
43. Singer Kravitz
44. "Or —!"

#### DOWN

1. 5-Down's bill
2. Deserve
3. Mistake
4. Blossom
5. Black bird
6. Headlong flight: slang
7. Arabian gulf
8. Heroic tale
9. Beseech
13. Cereal grain
16. Disgusting
20. Table seasoning
21. Prevent, in court
23. Helen of —
24. Wan
27. Songs for one
29. The great outdoors
31. Last
32. TV knob
33. Far from busy
34. Principal
35. Actor Danza
36. Morning cups
37. Fencing sword
39. Chick's ma

**Solution is on page 120**





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# DIAGRAMLESS hard 4

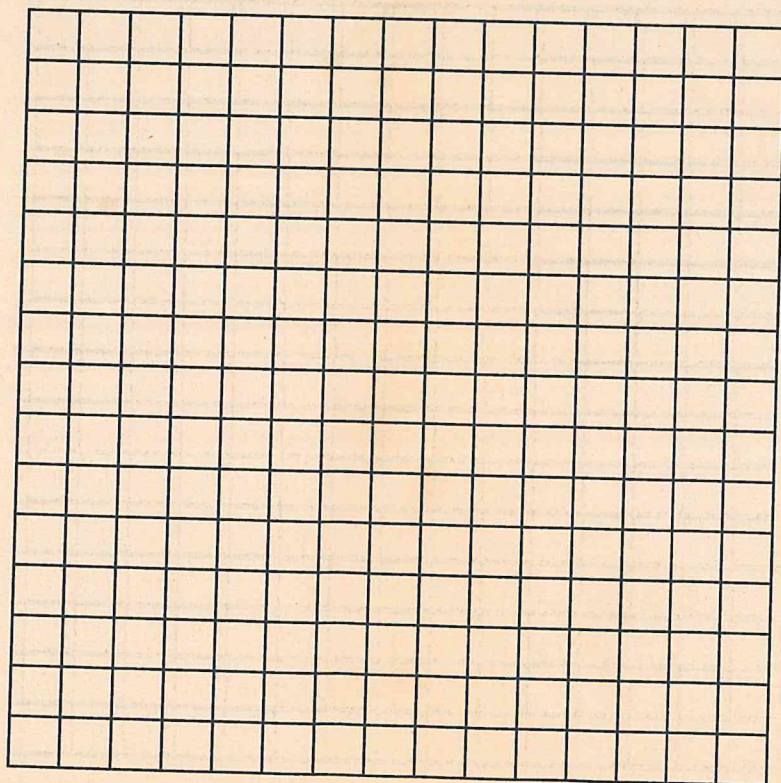
## ACROSS

1. Sky-dive start
5. Carreras, for one
6. Southern constellation
9. Squeezed (between)
11. Horned mammal
12. Soft leather
13. Like a bad apple
14. Bog; marsh
15. Frog sound
17. Sectioned
18. Swarm
19. Trait transmitters
20. Sticky stuff
23. Fossey subjects
24. Optical beam
25. Cooking quantities
26. Electrical unit
27. Lipoid
28. Potion vessel
29. — Island, New York
30. Salutatory word
31. Acumen: slang
33. Ermine of Europe
35. Rich cake
36. Used up
37. "Star Wars" realm: 2 wds.
39. Veggie bit
40. Gets closer
41. Withered

## DOWN

1. Forrest's girl
2. Cancel
3. Hayloft
4. Convict
5. Shadow: slang
6. Leading
7. Beatty film
8. Summer coolers
9. Disturb
10. Medical coups
11. Interprets (omens)
13. Choice mushroom
14. Mint stock
15. Scorch
16. Taffy length
17. Having a kick
19. St. Peter's post
20. Haunting emotion
21. October gem
22. Norwegian capital
24. Camping needs
25. Swindle
27. Strong point
28. Call
29. Magna —
31. Block
32. Wry face
33. Save
34. Sleuths: slang
36. Mast, e.g.
38. Behold

**Solution is on page 120**





# 5 DIAGRAMLESS hard

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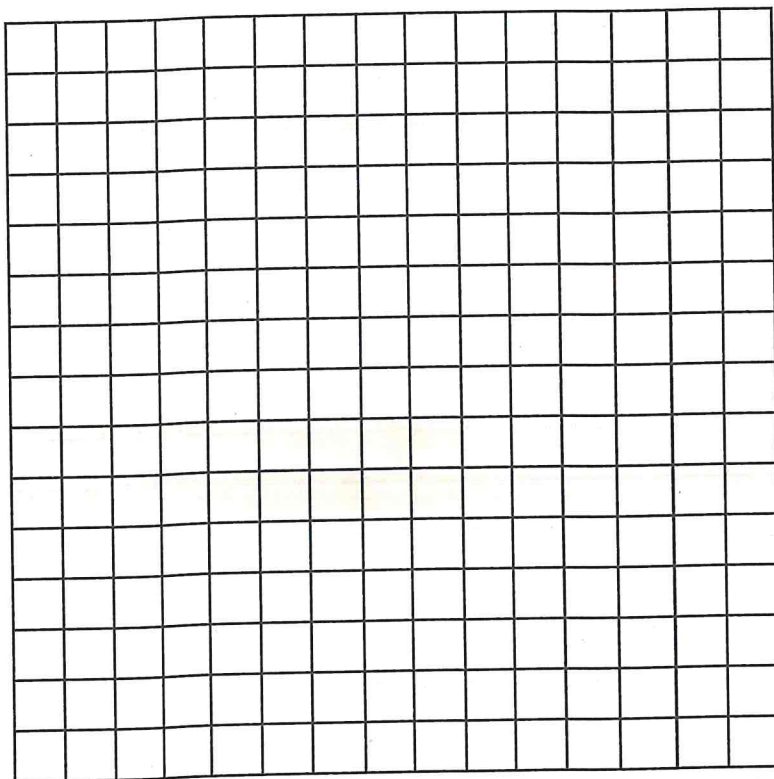
## ACROSS

1. Defeat
5. Opera solos
7. Entertain
11. Rascals
13. Atop
14. Spout (off):  
slang
16. Infamous  
emperor
17. Hood shooting
19. Lakers' 2002  
finals foe
20. Starting string
23. Sheikdom of  
song
25. Fiddle's kin
27. Owing: 2 wds.
29. Saint of sailors
30. ID info
31. A coed may  
take one out
33. Stopping  
thing: slang
35. Kournikova of  
the courts
36. Monte Cristo's  
title
37. Head start?
38. Bait fish
41. City on the  
Salt
44. Clinton  
appointee
45. Empties, as  
the icebox
47. Ecclesiastic  
calendar
48. Make moot
51. One at home  
on the range
52. A Wayans
53. Mouthpiece  
component

## DOWN

1. — Vegas
2. Killer whale
3. Thailand, once
4. Pacific chain
6. Goad into  
action
7. Humerus?:  
2 wds.
8. Foil's relative
9. Battery, e.g.
10. Slugger  
Slaughter
12. Abbott or  
Rowan: 2 wds.
15. "Stormy  
Weather"  
singer
18. Money roll
20. Roman  
greeting
21. Fleece
22. Where Super-  
man first  
appeared: 2 wds.
24. Plucker Fleck
26. Range rover
28. Piquancy
30. Actor Ed
32. Pester  
continuously
34. Diamond  
determination
38. Everglades  
reptile, for short
39. Grinder
40. Remove, as a  
knot
42. The — Piper
43. Mystery writer's  
award
46. One and the —
49. Piggy of rhyme
50. It may be split

**Solution is on page 120**





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## DIAGRAMLESS hard 6

### ACROSS

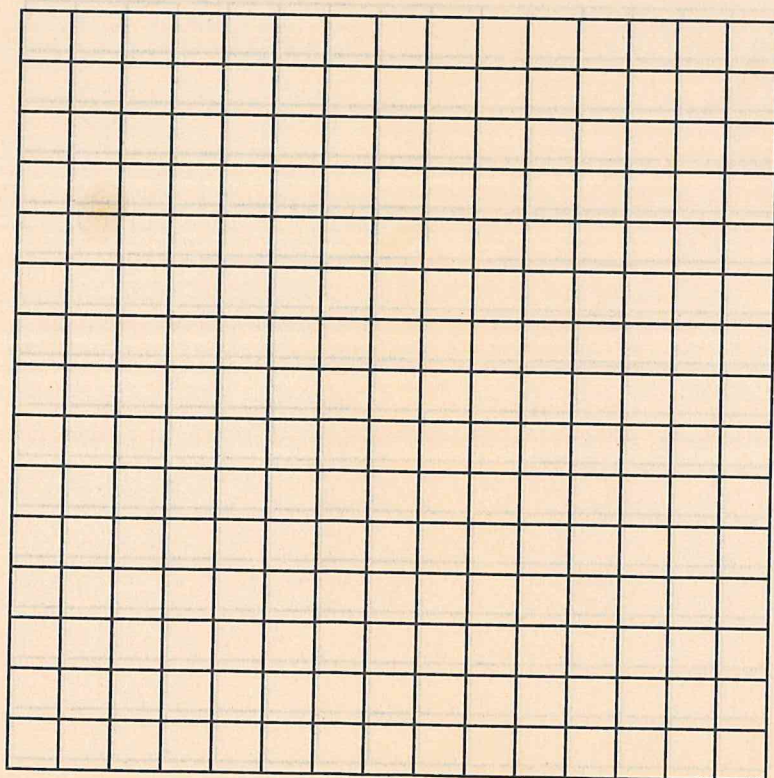
1. Iran city
4. Deed
7. The Beehive State
9. Figurehead's locale
10. Top vertebra
12. Home to the Heat
13. Game dog
15. Stoolie: slang
16. Neil Simon character
18. Supplication
20. Record: French
22. Sailor
23. Arizona tribesmen
24. Faded star: hyph. wd.
26. Fine straw hat
27. Rhine tributary
28. Spoil
29. Childhood vehicle: hyph. wd.
33. Custodian
37. Pile up
38. Car polish
39. Just fair: hyph. wd.
40. Celtic clan
41. Letter flourish
43. Antiquated
44. Hysteria
46. National maxim
48. Monsoon feature
49. "Mitla Pass" author
50. Solitary

51. Chess pieces
52. Remiss

### DOWN

1. Starlike find
2. Say
3. Brewer's need
4. Pavo neighbor
5. ¿— estás?
6. Helen Hunt movie
8. Millinery item
9. Pocket breads
11. Alabama city
12. Spy Hari
14. Paper measure
15. Alkali substance
17. Fire: slang
19. King of Judah
21. Ski lifts: hyph. wd.
23. Son of Priam
25. Nosh
26. Skillet or wok
28. Upper limit
29. Petrol
30. Future sign
31. Foolish prank
32. Of the heavens
33. Clash (with)
34. Whistle sounds
35. Norwegian seaport
36. Scepter, e.g.
38. Hardy novel setting
41. *Cassia* plant
42. Golfer's warning
45. Stringed instrument
47. Soft metal

Solution is on page 121





## DIAGRAMLESS expert

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### ACROSS

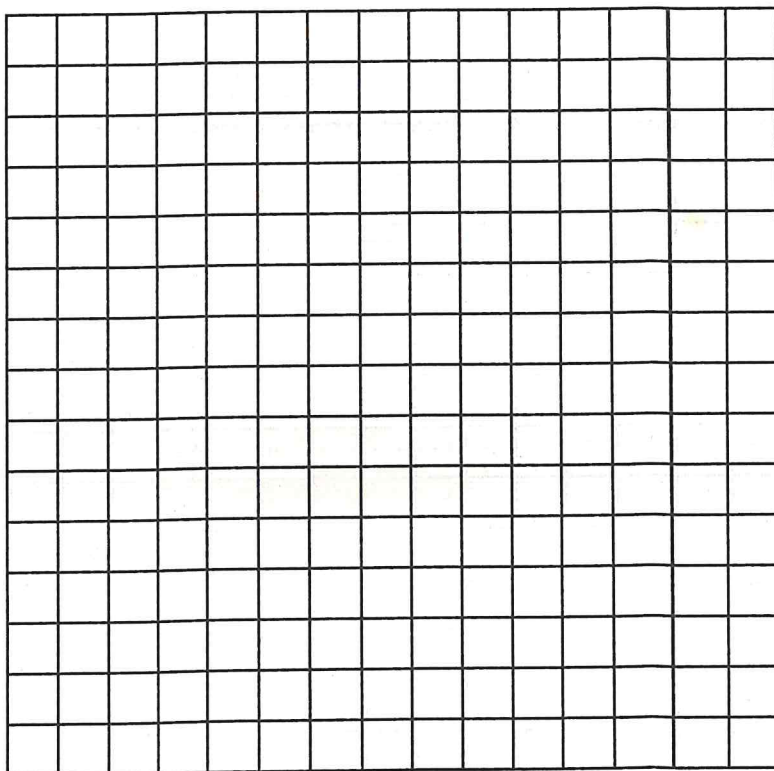
1. Exhaust
4. — Island, immigrants' landing place
6. Cut into several parts
8. Remain
9. Deposed Asian leader
11. Likely
12. Geisha's accessory
13. Son of Agrippina
15. Mirth
16. Normal
18. Ever-present natural-food ingredient
21. Choice
24. Bring forth young, in some parts
25. Charms
27. Sign of healing
28. Close
30. The whole gang
31. Wrath
32. What a hit film has: slang
34. Did great on
35. Russian urn

37. Of a wall
38. Set

### DOWN

1. Thin cut
2. Gore and D'Amato
3. Bakers' offerings
4. Former Ethiopian region
5. University denizen
6. Dwindle
7. Places of worship
8. Pale
10. Hurry
14. Rude look
15. Narrow valley
17. Actress Hagen
18. Short projection
19. Smooth flattery
20. Singer Montand
22. Metal mixture
23. Like some problems
26. More positive
27. Mineo of film
29. A Turner
33. Complacent
34. Pertaining to grandparents
36. Tram contents

**Solution is on page 121**





# LOGIC PROBLEM 1

## NUTCRACKER ADS

by David Champlin

Sandy Sellers works for an agency that creates low-budget television ads for small businesses. Last week Sandy created an ad for a different client on each day of the week, from Monday through Friday, one client per day. Each client runs a different type of business (one owns a ski lodge). To avoid paying royalties, Sandy used a different theme from Tchaikovsky's "The Nutcracker Suite" for each ad. From this information and the clues below, can you determine each client's business, Sandy's ad music selection, and the day its commercial was created?

1. The ad that uses music from "The March of the Toy Flutes" (which wasn't the one touting Garland's business) was created the day before the one for Reath's company, which was created sometime before the one for the holiday decorating service.
2. The commercial that uses the music from the "Trepak" dance and the ad for the ice rink were created, in some order, on consecutive days.
3. Four of the clients — Clause, the one who owns the catering business (whose ad wasn't created on Thursday), the one whose ad uses music from the "Waltz of the Flowers," and the one whose ad was created on Monday — all decided for the first time this year to invest in television ads.
4. The commercial for the snow removal service was created the day before the one that used the "Dance of the Sugarplum Fairy," which was created the day before the ad for Noelle's company.
5. Sandy created Kringle's ad (which wasn't the ad for the ice rink) after at least one other ad, but sometime before the one using the "Arabian Dance" music.

**Solution is on page 129.**

If you care to use the chart below in solving this Problem, you do so by entering all information obtained from the clues using, perhaps, an X to indicate a definite "no" and a dot to show a definite "yes." Remember: Once you enter a definite "yes" (dot), place a "no" (X) in all the rest of the boxes in each row and column that contains the dot.

	catering	decor- ating	ice rink	ski lodge	snow removal	"Arabian"	"Flutes"	"Sugar- plum"	"Trepak"	"Waltz"	M	T	W	Th	F
Clause															
Garland															
Kringle															
Noelle															
Reath															
Mon.															
Tues.															
Wed.															
Thurs.															
Fri.															
"Arabian"															
"Flutes"															
"Sugar- plum"															
"Trepak"															
"Waltz"															

## FUN WITH HOLIDAY FACTS AND FIGURES

This puzzle tests you on a lot of little facts and figures. Solve the quiz in the order given, since each answer is used in the next statement. There are no fractions used here. Answer is on page 130.

1. To start: Write down the number of days in the month of January.
2. From that figure, subtract the number of the day in December upon which Christmas arrives.
3. Next: Multiply your score by the number of Wise Men who brought gifts to the infant Jesus in Bethlehem.
4. In 1818, Joseph Mohr, a church rector in a small Austrian village, was called from his home on Christmas Eve to bless the home of a newborn child. When he entered the small cabin and witnessed the mother upon a bed of boughs and the infant in a crude cradle, he was inspired to write the words to:

a. "Away in a Manger"

b. "Silent Night"

If you chose (a), divide your score by 5; if you chose (b), divide your score by 2.

5. In a friendly snowball skirmish, how many snowballs were used if ten from a batch of twenty-five remained? Add this number to your score.
6. In the following group of words, circle the one word NOT traditionally associated with the Yuletide season:

PRESENTS CARDS PARTYING SHOPPING HARVEST TOYLAND

Multiply your score by the number of letters in the word you circled.

7. Next: Divide by the total number of volunteer singers in this year's office Christmas chorus: a trio of trembling tenors; a couple of baritones; a quartet of untrained altos; a solitary booming basso; and a pair of strident, but sincere, sopranos.
8. Now read the following rhyme:

PUT SANTA ON YOUR LIST, MY DEAR,  
NO SLED, NOR MOTOR SCOOTER,  
TO HELP HIM FILL REQUESTS EACH YEAR,  
GIVE HIM A HOME COMPUTER!

Subtract from your score the number of E's in the above rhyme.

9. In the song, "The Twelve Days of Christmas," how many turtledoves did "my true love" send to me? Subtract this from your score.
10. Our answer is the number of the day in January which is always New Year's Day. *Is yours?*



## A TO Z FILL-IN

After the words that answer the definitions below are filled into the diagram, you will have used every letter of the alphabet **ONCE** and **ONLY ONCE**. The definitions are listed in alphabetical order according to the first letter of each word you are to fill in to the diagram. We have correctly filled in the letters A and Z and, since you will use each letter of the alphabet only once, it's a good idea to cross off each letter as you use it from the list provided.

Solution is on page 123.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Financial center

Linseed oil source

Use a griddle

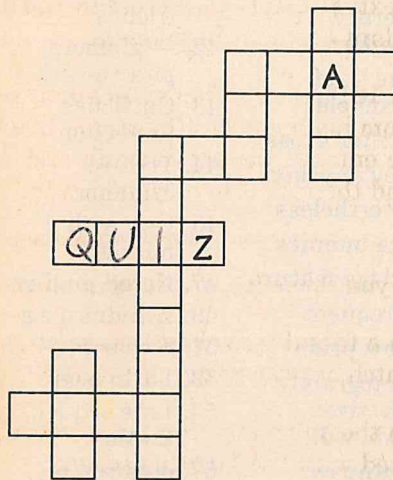
Prompt (the memory)

Relocate

Short exam ✓ QUIZ

Bond, for one

Exchanged



## DISPELLING MISSPELLING

In each of the 12 misspelled words below, one letter needs to be added, deleted, or changed to make the spelling correct. If a letter must be added or deleted, write that letter on the dash following the word. If a letter must be changed, write on the dash the letter which will make the spelling correct. If done correctly, the dashes, reading from 1 through 12, will spell out another word.

Answer is on page 125.

1. sumarize \_\_\_\_\_

7. deccade \_\_\_\_\_

2. gubernatorial \_\_\_\_\_

8. bankrupcy \_\_\_\_\_

3. tunnic \_\_\_\_\_

9. unctous \_\_\_\_\_

4. heliom \_\_\_\_\_

10. carreer \_\_\_\_\_

5. afray \_\_\_\_\_

11. linial \_\_\_\_\_

6. ineffible \_\_\_\_\_

12. parrentheses \_\_\_\_\_

# 14 CROSSWORD hard

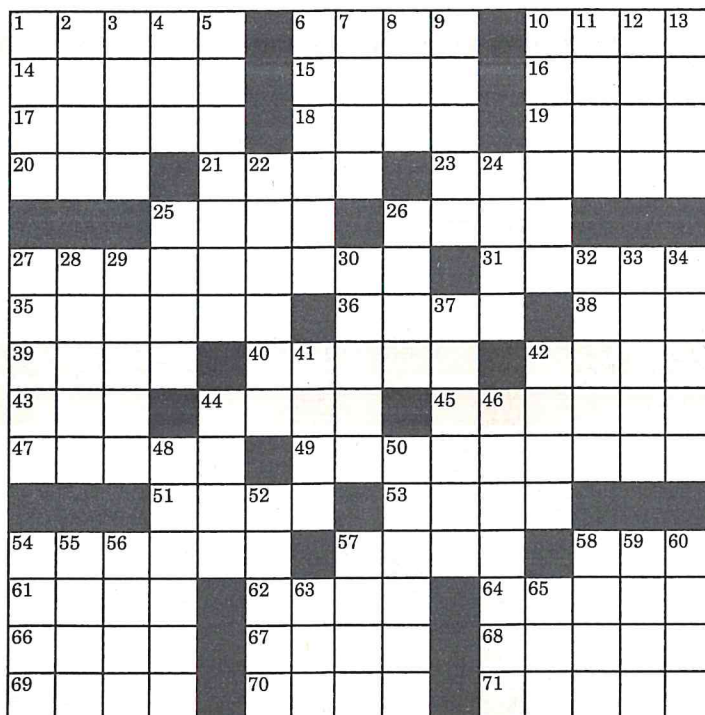
• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •  
Twins: People who can't  
help seeing double

## ACROSS

1. Abate: 2 wds.
6. *Dixit* lead-in
10. Word on a wire
14. Wipe out
15. Deficiency
16. Literary moniker
17. "The — of Wakefield"
18. Smelter dross
19. They're yoked
20. Nevertheless
21. Like bunnies
23. Bodega feature
25. Infrequent
26. Show pride
27. Photography adjective: hyph. wd.
31. Southpaw: slang
35. Easter-sermon verb
36. Single round
38. Prevaricate
39. Inexperienced person
40. Manipulative friends
42. — ghanouj, pita go-with
43. Cuttlefish protection
44. This, in Tijuana
45. One with a mission
47. Noted pugilist
49. Echidnas, e.g.
51. Swear to
53. Latin bear
54. Late sequel: 2 wds.
57. Johnson of "Laugh-In"
58. Cub, for one
61. Autumn stone
62. Exclude
64. Egg-shaped
66. Utter
67. Mr. Wallenda
68. Wide expanse
69. Spot in a crowd
70. Ultimatum part
71. Goddesses of destiny

## DOWN

1. Impose (a tax)
2. Northeast canal
3. Delicate sensitivity
4. Dos Passos work
5. Finely woven cloth
6. Shoemaker's concern
7. Famed Brazilian
8. Briny body
9. Mystery award
10. Moocher
11. Hack
12. Frank
13. Twinge
22. Father of the Titans
24. First name in amusement parks
25. Staff interval
26. Ballpark buy
27. Silent
28. Gen-X attitude
29. Exploits
30. Shampoo promise
32. Eccentric one: slang
33. Rome waterway
34. Long time
37. Defend, as rights
41. Magi's guide
42. — blocker
44. A sin
46. Reduce pressure: 2 wds.
48. Famous Annie
50. Aquarium denizen
52. Draw out
54. Hitchcock flick
55. Work
56. Find fault
57. Some folks put them on
58. Frost, for example
59. Ruffle some feathers
60. Gaming ratio
63. Badly, to Yves
65. By way of



**Solution is on page 119**



**ACROSS**

1. Wife of Osiris
5. Plant pest
10. Pay for  
(a hansom)
14. Short-order  
selection
15. Biscay feeder
16. PC pro
17. Lead horse
19. Celestial  
"performer"
20. Conduit corner
21. Boston sinker?
22. Sawbucks,  
once
24. Brownish gray
26. Assignments
29. "There you  
—!"
30. Implication
32. Despicable one
34. Units of  
volume
35. Additional
37. KP site
38. Melodramatic  
fare: 2 wds.
41. Asian root
44. Hero Rob
45. Lapis —
49. Pelé's field
51. Versatile sofa
53. Russian  
fighter
54. Religious  
statement
56. Block (traffic)
57. Colorful shrub
59. Island loop
61. Pallid

62. Knowledge
63. Rodham, e.g.:  
2 wds.
67. Goals
68. Superior in  
rank
69. "Exodus"  
author
70. Brat's banter
71. Lachrymose
72. Apiary finds

**DOWN**

1. Motivation
2. Radiator-hole  
mender
3. Comprise
4. Seek  
compensation
5. Not aweather

6. Chip material
7. Touch (on)
8. Strong  
emotion
9. Beauty Bo
10. Suspended
11. Cut off
12. Honors
13. Chalk go-withs
18. Music box?
23. Timber wood
25. Individual
27. Harried
28. Diffuse  
gradually
31. Slavic  
commander
33. Scythian  
warrior
36. Skin lesion
39. Stance
40. "A — in the Sun"
41. Husked dishes
42. Vacation mecca
43. Observes closely
46. Oblivious
47. University of  
Wyoming's seat
48. Affliction
50. Whiz
52. More unfeeling
55. Clone's other
58. It's sometimes  
more
60. Freakish
64. Happy hour  
order
65. Author Tarbell
66. Core

**Solution is on page 119**

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*You shouldn't  
have.*



# 16 CROSSWORD hard

• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •  
*Alaskan's favorite dessert: Snow cones*

## ACROSS

- |                               |                               |                         |                               |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Malicious glance           | 39. Blazing                   | 62. Classic Welles role | 87. "Mila 18" author          |
| 5. Feisty argument            | 40. Dimming device            | 63. Be an informer      | 88. The Pine Tree State       |
| 10. Pastoral retreat          | 44. The Hoosier Poet          | 66. Family car          | 89. Beneficial                |
| 15. Partiality                | 45. Hunts (with "on")         | 67. Hollywood native    | 90. Tailors (to)              |
| 19. "M*A*S*H" star            | 46. Sweet-voiced temptress    | 71. Tired               | 93. Hispaniola country        |
| 20. Venue for ancient games   | 47. Rage                      | 72. Hawthorne's home    | 94. Large brass instrument    |
| 21. Egg-shaped                | 48. Sun-crowned goddess       | 73. Hive VIP            | 98. Accessory for a 94-Across |
| 22. Novelist Ferber           | 49. Jogs                      | 74. Actor Ayres         | 99. Essence; core             |
| 23. Milk: French              | 50. Window items              | 75. Operatic highlight  | 101. Titles                   |
| 24. Civilian clothes          | 51. Fashioned                 | 76. Pan, for one        | 103. Drought-riven            |
| 25. Doctrine                  | 52. Movie street              | 77. More disrespectful  | 104. Sacred image             |
| 26. Castile region            | 53. Literary wit              | 78. Shaped with an axe  | 105. TV pioneer Kovacs        |
| 27. Collectibles with history | 54. Canine itcher             | 79. Zip                 | 106. Receive at the door      |
| 29. Inadequate                | 55. "Two Women" star          | 80. Spanish seaport     | 107. Group of elk             |
| 31. Away from shore           | 56. Carnegie Hall first-timer | 81. Draw back in fear   | 108. Audition recording       |
| 33. Food, to animals          | 58. Units of power            | 82. Wife of a rajah     | 109. Passover repast          |
| 34. Diagrams                  | 59. Mass requests             | 83. Used body language  | 110. Transmits                |
| 35. Family chart              | 60. Fine netting              | 85. Confidence trick    | 111. Do in, Buffy-style       |
| 36. Beauty treatment          | 61. Camera tape               | 86. Actor Colman        |                               |

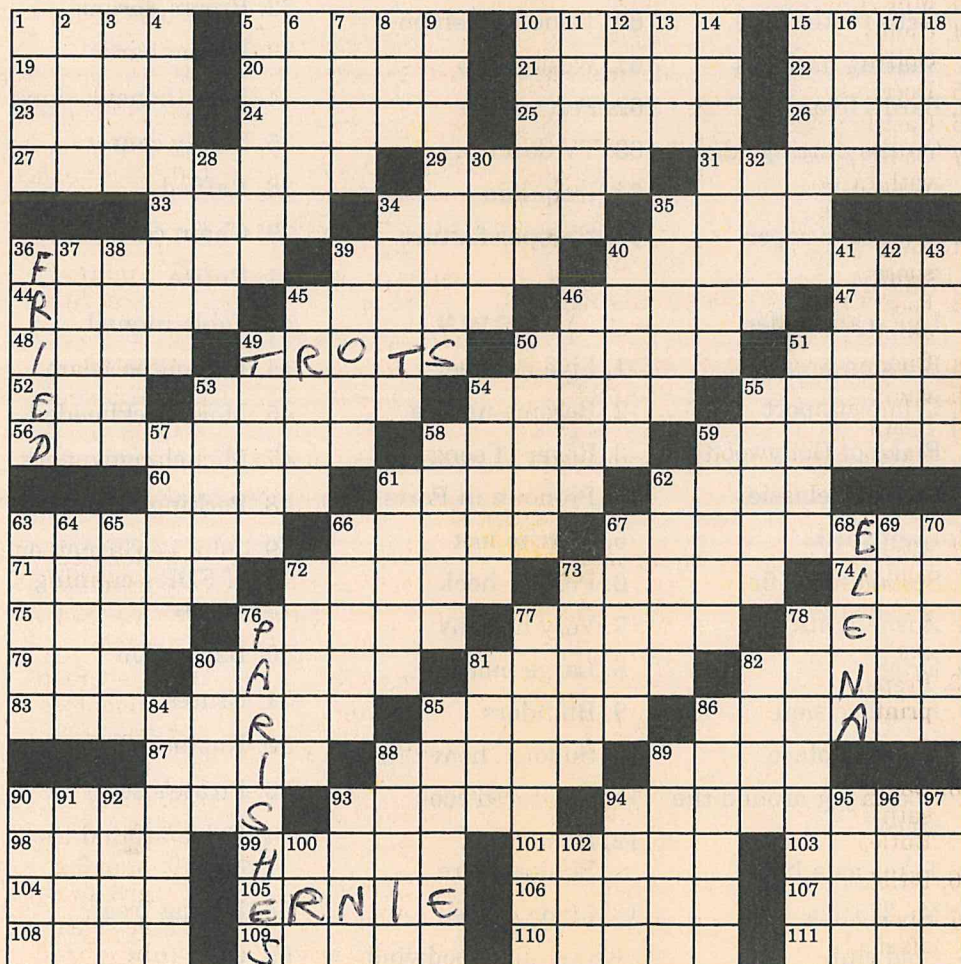
## DOWN

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|----------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Singing syllables       | 8. Tamandua treat              | 14. Pension beneficiaries | 34. Religious devotion |
| 2. Spirited self-assurance | 9. Intricately figured fabrics | 15. Ladies with looks     | 35. A crowd, to some   |
| 3. Prepare for print       | 10. Asa Gray's field           | 16. Theory starter        | 36. "— Green Tomatoes" |
| 4. Sanctions               | 11. Baking compartments        | 17. Presently, once       | 37. Theater passage    |
| 5. English satirist Butler | 12. Desire                     | 18. Tan hue               | 38. Scale              |
| 6. Pitiless                | 13. French season              | 28. Wharf                 | 39. Facade             |
| 7. Sports officials        |                                | 30. Detroit exports       | 40. Marriage giveaways |
|                            |                                | 32. Light gas             | 41. Jeweled headband   |



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|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 42. "As You Like It" woodland | 59. Light beer         | 73. Seismic activity    | 89. Avarice                      |
| 43. Minute                    | 61. 1930s actress Lupe | 76. Louisiana counties  | 90. Surrounded by                |
| 45. Likely (to)               | 62. Prepare to propose | 77. Track conditions    | 91. Dandy                        |
| 46. Domingo lead-in           | 63. Nasal speech       | 78. Purses              | 92. Tiny particle                |
| 49. Vestige                   | 64. High nest          | 80. Brusque             | 93. Dial indicator               |
| 50. Church plate              | 65. Coin call          | 81. Pack it in          | 94. Government agents: hyph. wd. |
| 51. Traveler's stop           | 66. Tasty              | 82. Board's partner     | 95. Uttered                      |
| 53. European nation           | 67. Sound-related      | 84. City in Mississippi | 96. Columbus ship                |
| 54. Lady's title              | 68. Actress Verdugo    | 85. Tease               | 97. Nervous                      |
| 55. Shirt fabric              | 69. Handrail support   | 86. Perches             | 100. Before, to bards            |
| 57. Extreme                   | 70. Held the title to  | 88. Honored Curie       | 102. Exist                       |
| 58. More extensive            | 72. Flanks             |                         |                                  |

Solution is on page 121





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CROSSWORD  
hard

## MISPRINT CROSSWORD

Each definition given below has exactly one misprinted letter. For example, if an answer were ROT, its definition would normally read "Decay." Instead, however, its definition might be printed as "Delay." Can you change the incorrect letter in each definition in order to complete the diagram?

Solution is on page 120.

## ACROSS

1. Height unit
5. Removed the wind from
10. Worker who is anti-onion
14. Deeming
15. Waiter Zola
16. Southern fish
17. Licks (with "for")
18. Sharing mishaps
19. Bard's liver
20. On the putting edge
21. "It hurls!"
22. Inventor's caper
24. Signify
26. Ice-cream folder
27. Barking area
28. Crime support
32. Blake of Dollywood
35. Reader Selassie
36. High yard
37. Surrounding fir
38. Rural fights
39. Drag
40. King decision
41. Sanding place
42. Does a jog around the office
43. Takes as a life
45. Mr. Tickles
46. Gold club

47. Former Secretary of Gabor
51. Mean piece of meat
54. Fill gradually
55. "Sever, laddie!"
56. Born soother
57. Rewords (a program)
59. She wrote "The Mountainhead"
60. Tame in fashion
61. West group
62. Pert native
63. TV deceivers
64. Iraqi loin
65. Hamper feature

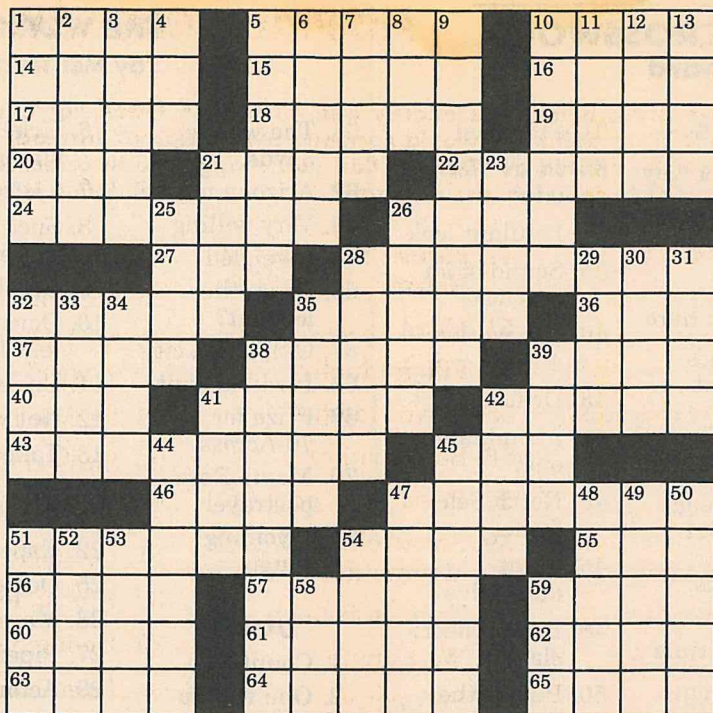
23. Nobelist Rice
25. Mumbler Korbut
26. Michael of "Jack the Tipper"
28. Female hordes
29. Site's end
30. Highest joint
31. Lodgings
32. Broom, for one
33. Diving bards
34. Lose (honey): slang
35. Safety cone
38. Raffled
39. Chain coop
41. Entire

## DOWN

1. Live member
2. Become nature
3. Rover of song
4. Pronoun in Parts
5. Next to lost
6. Priest's hook
7. Very healthy
8. Large mouse
9. Blunders
10. Sudden, heavy raids
11. Sheltered cook
12. Noon, to Shakespeare
13. Made carved
21. Curtain woodwind

42. Fable utensil
44. Edmonton beam
45. More trickheaded
47. Michelangelo pork
48. Packing substance
49. John — Garner, one of FDR's cunning mates
50. Bar option
51. Crates
52. Nastase of shorts
53. Pirate's sooty
54. Drive around the flock
58. Boxing treat
59. Gear (up)





## CELEBRITY ANAGRAMS

Drop one letter from each group of capitalized letters and anagram the remaining letters to form the answer to the definition. Write this answer word on the space provided and the dropped letter on the dash next to it. Then, anagram the dropped letters to spell out the name of a celebrity whose identity is hinted at below.

Answer is on page 129.

- |                           |           |       |       |
|---------------------------|-----------|-------|-------|
| 1. Get better             | MOVIRHEP  | _____ | _____ |
| 2. Casino visitor         | RBAEGLIM  | _____ | _____ |
| 3. Have a longing for     | EREDWIS   | _____ | _____ |
| 4. Lassie, e.g.           | LOICSEL   | _____ | _____ |
| 5. Calendar column        | DUAYSARIT | _____ | _____ |
| 6. Speak to (an audience) | SEDARLSD  | _____ | _____ |
| 7. Ritual                 | EROAYNMEC | _____ | _____ |
| 8. Fourscore and ten      | ESINYTN   | _____ | _____ |
| 9. Moviegoer's snack      | OROCPENP  | _____ | _____ |
| 10. Keep out of sight     | NARCELOC  | _____ | _____ |

*Hint:* You have to be handy to do her work:

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# 18 CROSSWORD

hard

## "THE WORKS"

by Mel Taub

### ACROSS

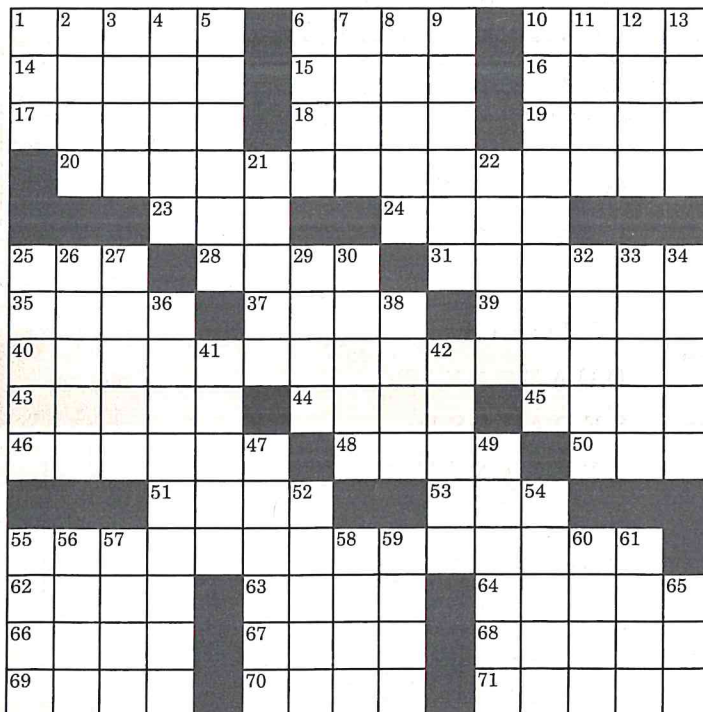
1. Oven, in a way
6. Title role for Jodie
10. Smooth
14. Rousseau hero
15. Sandusky's waterfront
16. Motley —
17. Namely: 2 wds.
18. Flanges, e.g.
19. Rise
20. The works: 3 wds.
23. Eventful time
24. Compassion
25. What a mad man sees?
28. Dartmouth digs
31. Steadfast
35. Pearl Mosque city
37. Petulant look
39. Sound of an overload
40. The works: 4 wds.
43. Drift
44. Abominable one?
45. North Sea feeder
46. Plant derivative
48. Bronx cheer: slang
50. Put on the docket
51. Arm of the Black Sea
53. British omega

55. The works: 3 wds.
62. Arizona native
63. Very willing
64. Inveigled
66. Be on the lookout?
67. Oklahoma city
68. Inedible fruit
69. Prize for 70-Across
70. Mama Rose portrayer
71. Wyoming range

6. Urkel, for one: slang
7. Leif's father
8. Succotash ingredients
9. Greek island
10. Devoted to learning
11. Lifeless
12. Not valid
13. Takeout order?
21. First name in fashionistas
22. Expenditure
25. Oodles
26. Marsh bird
27. Piper's pipe
29. Actor Calhoun
30. He daydreams
32. Rodomontade
33. Surgeon's tool
34. Access
36. Ethical indifference
38. Singer James
41. Couldn't move
42. State of excitement
47. Had an itch
49. Extremist
52. Lithuania capital, in Russia
54. Mideastern sect member
55. "Eh?"
56. Bindlestiff
57. Frank
58. Finger tip
59. It makes the whirl go round?
60. "Darn it!"
61. Utah bloom
65. Study, maybe

### DOWN

1. Count (on)
2. One way to run
3. Fuzzy treat
4. A-listers
5. Hinder



Solution is on page 120



**ACROSS**

1. Decreased
7. Crow
12. Endorses
14. Has total contempt for
16. Divide
17. Torpid
18. Rising ground
19. Precarious
21. Friend: French
22. Threat finale
23. Department-store purchase
24. Stable sound
25. Compass point
26. Hazardous
27. — Selassie
28. Diplomacy products
29. "Faerie Queene" divisions
30. Speaks pompously
32. Hunting tools
33. Forest-floor finds
34. He quacks
35. Hotel employee
36. Smelting refuse
37. Spice-rack item, for short
40. Tram contents
41. Jeweler's item
42. Roué
43. They, to Yves
44. Watchful period
45. "La Vie de Jésus" author

46. Hold back
48. Explode
50. Attitude
51. Links in the fridge
52. Retinue
53. Leading question

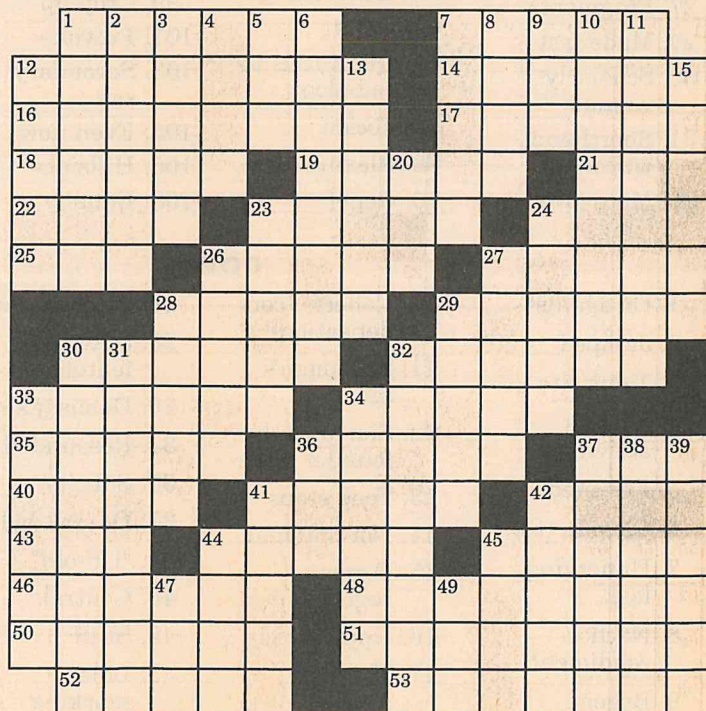
**DOWN**

1. Signifies
2. Arrange side by side
3. Fruit cocktail component
4. Skirt insert
5. A Perón
6. Takes away
7. Recoils
8. Mind

9. Cry of triumph
10. Fellowship
11. Singers' effects
12. Blatherskites
13. Fishing nets
15. Wading birds
20. Piggish pad?
23. People of ancient Britain
24. Rapids sight
26. Intimidate
27. Literary drudges
28. Minute openings
29. Quit
30. Film heroine of 1939
31. Guiding principle

32. Table feature: 2 wds.
33. Eschews
34. Celtic priests
36. Unsuccessful venture: slang
37. Oversee
38. Sarah Hughes, e.g.
39. Future determinants?
41. Closet filler
42. Pertaining to the kidneys
44. "I conquered": Latin
45. Romantic token
47. Literary collection
49. Parson bird

**Solution is on page 120**



## ACROSS

- |                                |                             |                                  |                                   |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Put your hands together     | 34. Get the kinks out of    | 72. Objects from space           | 110. Get wind of                  |
| 5. Rodeo rope                  | 36. Possible V-chip target  | 74. Clock mechanism              | 112. Forces                       |
| 10. Madison Avenue type        | 38. Bower                   | 80. Muddy                        | 114. Blacken                      |
| 15. Freshness                  | 41. Separate and remove     | 81. Serpent slain by Apollo      | 117. Himalayan country            |
| 19. Clinton's Attorney General | 44. Invite                  | 83. Flick                        | 121. Isolated rock                |
| 20. Like a musical scale       | 47. Unexpected              | 84. Final notice?                | 123. Bizet opera                  |
| 21. Tennis tie                 | 50. Consommé, e.g.          | 87. Render harmless              | 126. Sprout                       |
| 22. Middle section of a minuet | 52. Kind                    | 90. Chooses                      | 128. Eminence                     |
| 23. Beech-family trees         | 53. Pollen-bearing organ    | 92. Certain minor                | 129. Pertaining to birds          |
| 24. Steam burn                 | 55. Dustcloths              | 93. Rechewed food                | 130. Cheddarlike cheese           |
| 25. Inspire with love          | 57. Petitions               | 94. Man of La Mancha             | 131. Contrabass horn              |
| 26. Biblical Syria             | 59. Blue-book listing       | 95. Lot measure                  | 132. Rainbow goddess              |
| 27. Fragments                  | 60. "Your Majesty"          | 97. President from New Hampshire | 133. 1995 Jefferson portrayer     |
| 29. Made fast                  | 61. Undated?                | 99. Crop up                      | 134. Beauty pro Elizabeth         |
| 30. Scholarly volume           | 63. Away                    | 101. Provoke                     | 135. Actor Alda                   |
| 31. Shorthand writer           | 65. Quantities in radiology | 103. Secondary, say              | 136. Politesse                    |
| 32. More loved                 | 66. Tocsin                  | 105. Even now                    | 137. Cornered                     |
|                                | 68. Blazing                 | 106. Hillsides                   | 138. Stuff that's served al dente |
|                                | 70. Relief                  | 108. Equally                     | 139. Sets (out)                   |

## DOWN

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|---------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. Go against       | 10. Collects (condensation)  | 18. At least one     | 44. State of northeastern India |
| 2. Jumped           | 11. Salesman's aid           | 28. 5-Across feature | 45. Step contraption            |
| 3. Talus site       | 12. Sierra Club founder John | 29. Debussy's sea    | 46. Gold purity unit            |
| 4. Model's activity | 13. Took steps               | 33. Resounded        | 48. Rough sketch                |
| 5. Forfeited        | 14. Not optional             | 35. Solicits         | 49. Bird on a bill              |
| 6. Gave in (to)     | 15. Formal regulation        | 37. Doesn't hold     | 51. Hanging ornament            |
| 7. Unnerving look   | 16. Uppityness               | 39. "Uh-oh!"         | 54. Least                       |
| 8. Nachos condiment | 17. Thailand, once           | 40. Control          | 56. Singer Cooke                |
| 9. Bygone           |                              | 42. Stuff            |                                 |
|                     |                              | 43. Linen marking    |                                 |



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|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| 58. On                         | 79. Doctrine                          | 98. Persian                        | 118. Actress<br>Prentiss                         |
| 62. Concluding<br>part: 2 wds. | 82. Indeed                            | 100. Most meager                   | 119. Cornered:<br>2 wds.                         |
| 64. Sugar source               | 84. South<br>American<br>wood sorrels | 102. Reamed out,<br>maybe          | 120. Has a bias                                  |
| 65. Aloof                      | 85. Woody knot                        | 104. Ice cream<br>alternative      | 121. Fit of pique                                |
| 67. Low                        | 86. Like a lot of<br>slang            | 107. Trig ratio                    | 122. "The Last<br>of the<br>Mohicans"<br>heroine |
| 69. Horned<br>vipers           | 88. Roman<br>squares                  | 109. Barbie's beau                 | 124. Madden                                      |
| 71. Apollo vehicle             | 89. River to the<br>Caspian           | 111. Vacation<br>need, for<br>some | 125. Other half                                  |
| 73. Spin                       | 91. Graf —                            | 113. Relish                        | 127. Tropical<br>starling                        |
| 75. Stabilize<br>(with "up")   | 94. Go after                          | 115. Greek<br>marketplace          | 130. Limit                                       |
| 76. Makes do                   | 96. Word after<br>"C" or "G"          | 116. Card<br>combinations          |  |
| 77. All                        |                                       |                                    |  |
| 78. She may cry<br>"Uncle"     |                                       |                                    |  |

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# 21 CROSSWORD hard

• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •  
Pony owners: People who  
like to horse around

## ACROSS

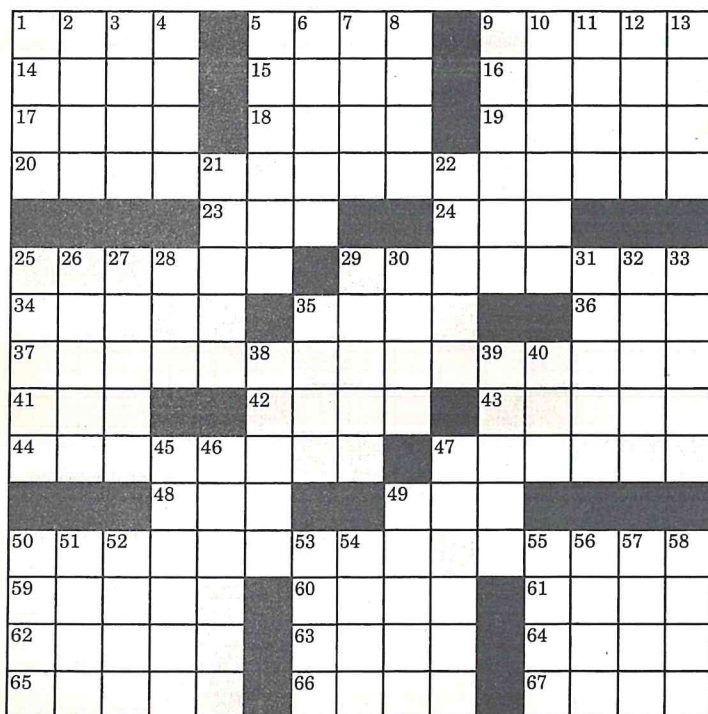
1. Lose strength
5. Funny fellow
9. Lapham or Marner
14. Tibetan priest
15. Medicinal plant
16. M. Zola
17. Mighty mite
18. Society neophytes
19. Small, silvery herring
20. Literary group: 2 wds.
23. Groove
24. Blushing
25. Finnish baths
29. Made a trade
34. Tiny landmass
35. Old fogey
36. "— Got a Secret"
37. Ominous arrivals: 3 wds.
41. White Sea feeder
42. Is contrite
43. On the qui vive
44. Detested thing
47. Camises, e.g.
48. Coal scuttle
49. Maui souvenir
50. Some lettuce: 3 wds.
59. Cake topper
60. Facilitate
61. Undiluted
62. For the —, temporarily

63. Tied
64. Related thing?
65. Leg joints
66. Hard to find
67. Algerian port

9. Petrarch's ending stanza
10. Hinder
11. Italian dough, once
12. Winged
13. Special groupings
21. Muse of poetry
22. Boo-boo
25. Baranof Island city
26. Pale
27. Moslem scholars
28. Ship-shaped clock
29. Tea variety
30. Big fusses
31. Would-be poet
32. Turn inside out
33. Depressions, of a sort
35. Tap continuously
38. Hives, formerly
39. Colonial India address
40. Certain New Havenite
45. From that time
46. Baseball-great Gil
47. Calm
49. Beam variety
50. Informer: slang
51. Sacred picture
52. Green creeper
53. Malice-filled stare
54. Etna output
55. Division word
56. Tragic king
57. Refrain syllables
58. British gun

## DOWN

1. Brit's pad
2. Building-site strip
3. Love, in Spain
4. Fun pastime
5. Legendary founder of Thebes
6. Native of Unalaska
7. Plunders
8. Concierge's spot



**Solution is on page 120**



# "ECONOMIC BASIC"

by Alan Olschwang

## CROSSWORD hard 22

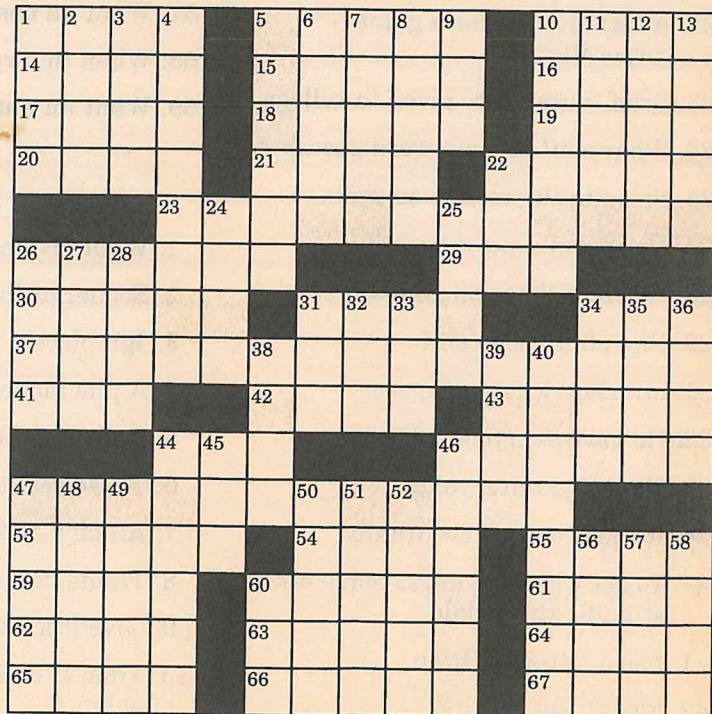
### ACROSS

1. Edible jack fish
5. Indian state south of Bhutan
10. Mouth: slang
14. Airport vehicle
15. Excel
16. Cavity
17. Egyptian fertility goddess
18. More with it
19. Custom
20. Toolbox item
21. Tabriz's nation
22. Agave plant fiber
23. Kathleen Norris quote, part 1: 4 wds.
26. Echoic conversationalist
29. Sound of annoyance
30. Effective use
31. Baseball family name
34. Meadowland, to a bard
37. Quote, part 2: 4 wds.
41. Pasture-lovin' mama?
42. Pelee's output
43. "From the Silent Earth" author Joseph
44. Designer of the National Gallery's East Wing
46. Expresses discontent
47. Quote, part 3: 2 wds.
53. Sculptor Powers
54. It springs eternal
55. Metrical foot
59. French condition
60. Model wood
61. Spicy stew
62. Ancient: German
63. Senator Specter
64. Repulsive
65. Charges
66. Students' anxiety sources
67. Bando and Mineo

### DOWN

1. Recipe direction
2. Pedro's home
3. One-time superpower
4. Sadden
5. Hockey maneuver
6. Perceptive
7. Biblical peak
8. Concerning, once
9. Pierre's sea
10. Prudence
11. Drive (out)
12. Deity to millions
13. English model Beverly
22. Old French coin
24. — contendere
25. Ornamental needlecase
26. Conductor's concern
27. Declare openly
28. Tear down, in London
31. Menu words
32. Tyler of film
33. Latin eggs
34. Ms. Eichhorn
35. English prep school
36. Scary slitherers
38. Lose self-control: slang
39. Chief Buddhist center of early Japan
40. Magnificent
44. Dishwasher items
45. Furniture wood
46. Extracts
47. Bundle
48. Card-catalog datum
49. Enraged
50. Frequent flyer's frequent stop
51. Election-year focus
52. Overturned
56. Pond growth
57. Agricultural machine
58. Word on a school door
60. Sports stick

Solution is on page 120



by Mel Taub

Punanagrams are tricky but fun to solve. Definitions may be jokes or puns on the word wanted, or an anagram of the word itself. Generally, there's a straight definition as a clue, too. Roman numerals may be used; and words such as YOU, ARE, TEASE, EYE, etc., may stand for U, R, T's, and I; "energy" might stand for the letters N, R, G, or "any" for NE. Consider the definitions from all angles and you will find they do make definite sense, and we think you'll find them a lot of fun as well.

**ACROSS**

1. What the batter let rip
7. Some flowers have a passel
13. Framework in garden? Hard to tell, sir
14. Is a pout forbidden in such places?
16. He wants the saltier facts
17. Laugh about her colt
18. Hoxford 'as one
19. If you, in a chat, lie, you're not
21. She will prevail at the center
22. A little lawyer for a giant corporation
23. Brief course once given in college
24. What a 50 or more word speech is
25. Stood in the middle as well
26. One tears a petal from it
28. Where a thespian gets a break
29. Ran off at trip's end
31. Mr. Hale was a composer
32. He gave everyone a lift
33. No tee on outer rake
34. It could be tart eventually
37. To get what the finest horse offers, straddle the saddle
41. I seal letter to Howe
42. Fleas? Not so!

43. Pro follower met
44. Kind of tick
45. Upset readily as day goes by
46. Sol's companion
47. Each beginner
48. Nina's 10, to ancients
51. Jess predecessor?
52. Medley for Elman, e.g.
54. In slang it means a seasoner's activity
56. Footwear of the first rank. See?
57. What an eastern metier involves
58. When in a rut, sty is dependable
59. What an automaker sends a dealer

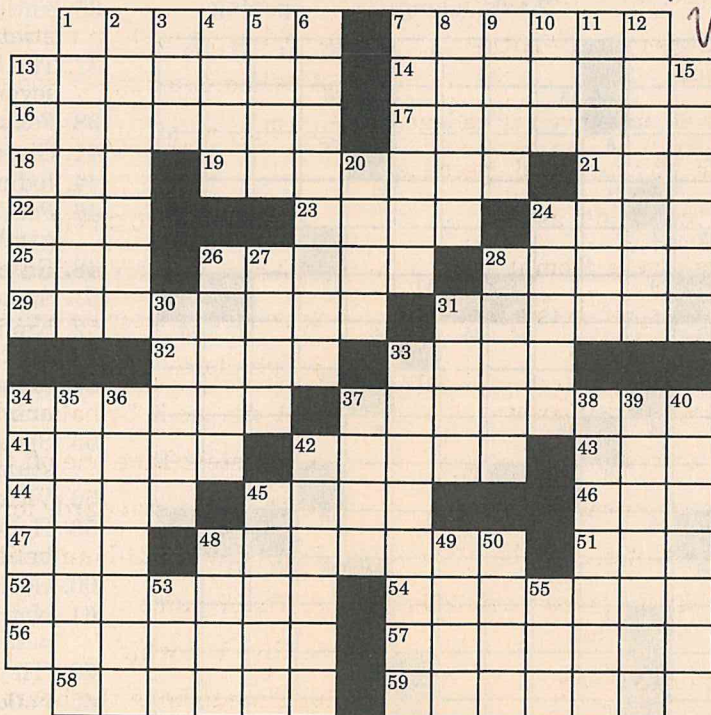
**DOWN**

1. Where is Peter to find nest?
2. Sooner or later he will sell a house
3. 'igh place
4. A pile made by ballerinas
5. O, listen! Take one off the roster!
6. These set standards for art
7. All day —, 24-hour relief
8. Thane name
9. Give it a whirl
10. Time to be in the heart of Capri: abbr.



11. Tell Ira to be exact
12. Rescue vase, gal
13. They are best enjoyed at rest
15. Who acquires furs for resale?
20. Like tea served with dice
24. One or the —
26. Poker winner nets a few
27. Does resident need move about?
28. Term recipes use at times
30. Ta ta ta ta ta ta ta ta ta
31. It grows around morass
33. See Lear's press notices
34. What they be if they don't be brights
35. Food that will melt in a mouth
36. Drinker with a pert lip
37. Start for who?
38. A Latin, I gather
39. Plays with wine at act's end
40. In re me, e.g., as I come out
42. Clothing destroyed in N.Y. fire
45. He had a lot of synonyms to get or write
48. What may discolor the skin?
49. It gives me an individuality
50. 'Tain't the bottom
53. U.S. athletic organization wins a gold: abbr.
55. Writing this lyric is art...yeah, right!

**Solution is on page 120**



*Colleen & Carolyn  
"We Are Family"  
Who's Jeri?  
V & R Records*



# 24 CROSSWORD hard

• *Lighthearted Lexicon* •  
*Healthy violinist: One who's  
fit as a fiddle*

## ACROSS

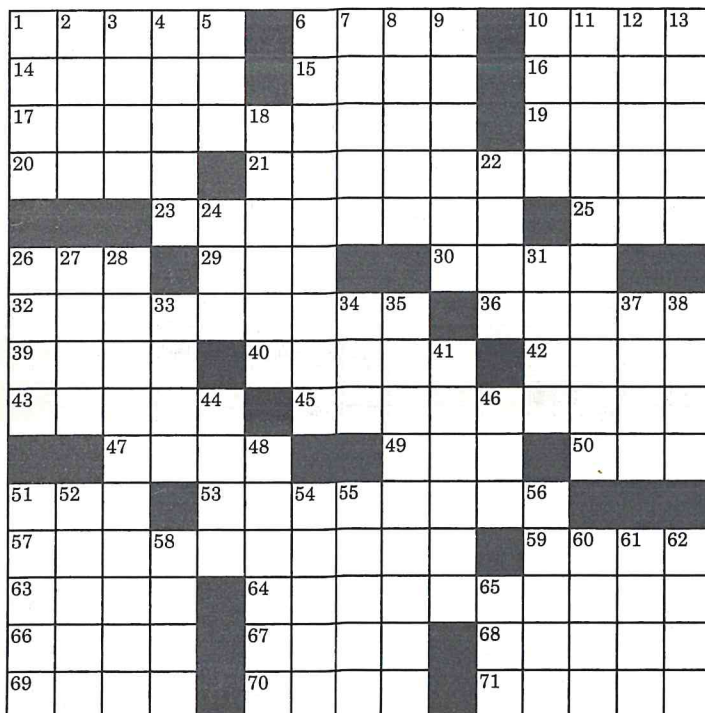
1. Lapel item:  
2 wds.
6. Bridge  
support:  
hyph. wd.
10. Performance  
segments
14. Tuscan town
15. Loud outburst
16. Timely  
question
17. Common  
marker:  
2 wds.
19. Madrid tot
20. Being, in  
Brest
21. Showed  
patience:  
3 wds.
23. Crab's quality
25. Arid
26. Hooded  
menace
29. Computer  
lingo
30. Job emblems
32. Bloody film:  
hyph. wd.  
(slang)
36. Compensate
39. Brick baker
40. Ill-humored
42. Threat closer
43. Appetite  
spoiler
45. Stamped  
correspond-  
ence: 2 wds.  
(slang)
47. Clarinet strip
49. Born
50. Jabber: slang
51. Twisted  
truth
53. Consumer  
protection:  
2 wds. (slang)

57. Like much of  
the universe
59. Big bunch
63. Cheese burg?
64. Toxic fungi
66. Marcello's  
moola
67. About: 2 wds.
68. Regions
69. Disrespect  
verbally
70. Met with
71. Unexpected  
win

6. Ill-informed  
person
7. Quiche Lorraine  
ingredient
8. Similar
9. Enjoy with gusto
10. Grain beards
11. Piece of cake:  
2 wds.
12. Operatic hero,  
often
13. Pure; spotless
18. Piano-lesson  
assignments
22. Russian royal
24. Hardy grass
26. Solicits
27. Oft-bumped leg  
part
28. Natural seal  
hunters: 2 wds.
31. Abound (with)
33. Erstwhile
34. Posh vase
35. Anticipated:  
2 wds.

## DOWN

1. Key or ait
2. Regular  
fodder
3. Saline drop
4. New World  
range
5. Make an  
opening



37. The biggest of  
seven
38. Fox's cry
41. Gives way
44. Iodine source
46. Poet's place to  
gambol
48. Greek letters
51. Stokes
52. Kipling story  
setting
54. Maine forest  
animal
55. Speak on the  
stump
56. Victory shout
58. Holiday season,  
briefly
60. Geological times
61. Not into the  
wind
62. "Hey, you!"
65. Follower of Lao?

**Solution is on page 120**



## COMPLETE THE QUOTE

Each sentence below needs only one word to make it a complete quotation by the person whose name follows it. Pick the word under each quote that you think is really the word the author used.

Answers are on page 125.

1. We are all of us \_\_\_\_\_, at least the best of us are.  
(Sir James M. Barrie, playwright)  
a) funny                      b) failures                      c) fantastic
2. I don't say we all ought to \_\_\_\_\_, but we ought to look as if we could.  
(Orson Welles, writer-director)  
a) cry                      b) hustle                      c) misbehave
3. \_\_\_\_\_ is the deadliest feeling that can be offered to a woman.  
(Vicki Baum, writer)  
a) Pity                      b) Aggressiveness                      c) Tackiness
4. Life is what happens while you're busy making other \_\_\_\_\_.  
(John Lennon, musician)  
a) friends                      b) plans                      c) things
5. Let us leave pretty women to men without \_\_\_\_\_. (Marcel Proust, writer)  
a) morals                      b) imagination                      c) charisma
6. My theory is that people who don't like detective stories are \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Rex Stout, mystery writer)  
a) anarchists                      b) ambiguous                      c) insincere
7. We didn't lose the game; we just ran out of \_\_\_\_\_. (Vince Lombardi, coach)  
a) energy                      b) ideas                      c) time
8. There is no sincerer love than the love of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(George Bernard Shaw, writer)  
a) family                      b) music                      c) food
9. A man occupied with public or other important business cannot and need not attend to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Napoleon Bonaparte, French emperor)  
a) spelling                      b) philosophizing                      c) money

## ONE, TWO, THREE — GO!

In each puzzle below, anagram each letter group to form three 6-letter words and write the words on the dashes. Next, write each numbered letter onto one of the three correspondingly numbered dashes directly below the three words. Correctly placed letters will reveal an everyday 9-letter word. Plurals, slang, foreign words, and proper nouns are not allowed.

Answers are on page 129.

<p>1.</p> <p>S A M I C O    — — — — —</p> <p style="text-align: center;">          1    1        1</p> <p>I L H E R S    — — — — —</p> <p style="text-align: center;">          2   2        2</p> <p>O C H E L T    — — — — —</p> <p style="text-align: center;">          3   3        3</p>	<p>2.</p> <p>O T A C M I    — — — — —</p> <p style="text-align: center;">          1    1    1</p> <p>E B O F E R    — — — — —</p> <p style="text-align: center;">          2        2    2</p> <p>O T M O A T    — — — — —</p> <p style="text-align: center;">          3        3    3</p>
<p>1   1   1   2   2   2   3   3   3</p>	<p>1   1   1   2   2   2   3   3   3</p>

# QUOTATION PUZZLES

Turn to page 35 for solving directions.

Answers are on page 127.

4.

E	I	I	N	A	W	O	T	T	E	L	R	T	S	O	I	U			
G	E	N	P	G	S	T	Y	H	E	A	E	H	A	A	A	D			
S	G	S		A	T	H	U		I	N	Y		S	S	T	D			
	Y	M		T		A			O	T			L			B			

5.

Y	O	I	F	O	I	O	G	O	A	R	L	Y	V	U	I	E	G	J	O
Y	P	U	A	A	R	N	W	A	R	R	E	A	D	Y	N	A	N	A	T
S		M		K	F	E	U		A	K	E	I	D	I		N		S	C
D		E			Y				L				O	O	G			U	

6.

E	N	I	R	S	N	T	T	H	O	U	E	H	T	S	O	F	R	P	C
A	I	D	A	S	T		T	E	O	T	G	O	T	S	C	O	R	S	R
	F	L		M	T		M	A	R	U	G	H	S			A	N	E	
		N		I	A		T	H	T	S		R	F			A	E		



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1. QEWIV VIQLUFP WXQW PIVKC QWWQNZ  
 AFTER READING THAT GERMS ATTACK  
 THE WEAKEST PART OF THE BODY, I  
 DECIDED THAT'S WHY PEOPLE SO  
 OFTEN CATCH HEAD COLDS.
2. TQJSOQ OQEQ CHRKM CKIHURKM "C  
 XRRHHXQ TROZ" HSXZ ISN, EQOUC EG  
 ISN GUSNXZ TQ GNOQ RH ACGK'H C  
 ZSZS.
3. VNG YHGBYQG RYM PXJJ TBUAYAJ O  
 DVYME YEHGBDXVO AGVVGB VNYM  
 TBUDTGBXVO, AWV NG DWBGJO  
 EUGDM'V PYMV VU.
4. BRZIMDVS JRW YV DMV YSZEM DMRD  
 ETVVKE RTRH DMV JBNHFWI JNYTVYE  
 FW HNZS YSRFW.
5. FEK'UU OQHV JGDJ NETP OEUYN  
 YOU'LL FIND THAT SOME FOLKS  
 CPHPZEKNUF TDYP AEHJZQLKJQ EHN  
 GENEROUSLY HAVE CONTRIBUTIONS  
 DAAEZVQHC JE JGPQZ TPDHN, LKJ  
 ACCORDING TO THEIR MEANS, BUT  
 EJGPZN EHUF DAAEZVQHC JE JGPQZ  
 OTHERS ONLY ACCORDING TO THEIR  
 TPDHHPNN.  
 MEANNESS.
6. BTFHZZBHU IPHMAUHZB MVFGHU TFF  
 BOH JTZW'M IPVJFHEM — HGHPCBOAZD  
 STM TFSTCM PADOB VZ BOH EVZHC.



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7. RKMAZ MBHG ZKGY NBGP AZQQZG NJZT  
MBH YJHQ MBHG RBH QJ.
8. MBK MQPXYJK UVMB SPPNVFC VF I  
THE TROUBLE WITH COOKING IN A  
OVSPUIGK PGKF OIT YK MBIM LVFFKQ  
MICROWAVE OVEN MAYBE THAT DINNER  
VE SPPNKL YKRPQK TPX CKM MBK  
IS COOKED BEFORE YOU GET THE  
MIYJK EKM.  
TABLE SET.
9. ZJF KJFTC LHZ YWHY OHVNMWJJC  
YOU COULD SAY THAT PARENTHOOD  
VNHTTZ XL HM "WNXV-VHXLXMR"  
REALLY IS AN "HEAT-RAISING"  
NBONVXNMKN.  
EXPERIENCE.
10. LUV CWE LD FB AZKKV CI HJGA LAB  
IZHB ZI LUV CWE LD YZMM ZIMBBK;  
VDJ GZW RD CL FBLLBU CY VDJ  
YDUEBL VDJ ZUB LUV CWE.
11. AFHU JEPZGZXZFHR BQE XEHRZVYI  
GQYARYPT YR SFIRZLQGYV FIY DNRG  
TYIU JEEI DNVLYR ES VZRGFHX Y.
12. J ZJSJCHOI IMOW KND OYNWMVWV  
VENGSI MCHSGIO J YOCODNGV  
EOSAMCY NK EGXZSO AMO.
13. QISRWQP TVQ AMGUS KU KIOU SRVQ  
ZRUQ V XOWUQY YOIMG WQ  
AQUEMUTSUYNF VQY XWQYG KF RIAGU  
NIIJWQP NWJU WS AGAVNNF YIUG.
14. BH'W JQQZ CPSXQZ SZ HOQ ISJ HOYH  
IT'S BEEN PROVEN ON THE JOB THAT  
ZS SZQ ZQQMW Y XYRYHBSZ YW UVRO  
NO ONE NEEDS A VACATION AS MUCH  
YW HOQ CQPWSZ KOS OYW IVWH OYM  
AS THE PERSON WHO HAS JUST HAD  
SZQ.  
ONE.

Answers are on page 127.

# CRYPTOGRAMS

Starting helps for the Cryptograms below are on page 130.

15. XVQK QBT LRYVJMT JK XZK JKYX

ZKBMKF, JDX VX'Y B MRDYT QBAKDL

BFXVYX.

16. DQPUSPM RADYSLG KSEAF DKRAP

AIRPORT BEACONS MOVED AMBER

IQLXAPG JU MWPSJXW MWA YSEAPQLX

FINGERS UP THROUGH THE COVERING

ISX.

FOG.

*Ariella Shirra Mellis*

17. HFV KQT LK CSVYYPTR YLDT HFV

CTLD-NLBVXVY FPSSC PC CLZVDFWH

HVZOVXVY GA HFV SLTR HXVM GWNM QO.

18. CDZTZBGQ ZRQ VFDXJG CDZHFDK: J

TJRLF TDUFGQ UL XZDF QJGVFDZBL

OIJG OIF ZKHUZBL JGOJVZGULO.

19. GC VHMW HWCXK XJC ALFO YHZC

FOHYWJCM; ILJ IGM XJC KI GIMWCJVLY.

20. KBY TPVC NPIIU VAHIKA RMV WQMJY

XYNKQY RY THU YHC RMV KAB AKQJV.

21. AGL UWGXFQE XJ FZJL IZFF JZYO

THE S HI AR OS SE

AGQA Q WFXULO DZYO CQAGLEU YX

THAT A I ED D A THER

HYXIFLOCL.

ED E

CHALLENGER

22. Y NUITR'Q CDZQ VTYKNQ ZYRBT

BDFRQYRK BUCDAYTZ URL

BUASDNOLAUQTZ, SFQ PO UAYQNPTQYB

NUZ YPXADITL.

Answers are on page 127.



## LOGIC PROBLEM 2

### WELCOME TO THE U.N.

by Susan Zivich

Five college graduates, all with foreign language degrees, were heartily greeted by Janice Johnson, the New Employees Coordinator at the U.N. After giving the group the grand tour, Ms. Johnson sat down with her notes and tried to remember which two languages each spoke and which state each one called home. She knew that each language was spoken by just two people. From this information and the following clues, can you determine each person's full name, home state, and two languages spoken?

1. Jean Law and Beck both took the subway to the U.N.
2. Mark and the person from Alaska both speak Russian.
3. Sand is from Iowa and Sally is from Maine.
4. Neither man speaks French.
5. Claudia and Mills are both fluent in Chinese.
6. Between Brian and the person from Utah, all of the languages except Russian are spoken.
7. Reed and the man from Ohio speak Arabic.
8. One of the women speaks Spanish.

**Solution is on page 129.**

See page 47 for directions on how to use the solving chart. **NOTE:** Since each person speaks two languages, you will not be able to enter a definite "no" in the boxes of each row and column once you enter a definite "yes."

	Beck	Law	Mills	Reed	Sand	Alaska	Iowa	Maine	Ohio	Utah	Arabic	Chinese	French	Russian	Spanish
Brian															
Claudia															
Jean															
Mark															
Sally															
Arabic															
Chinese															
French															
Russian															
Spanish															
Alaska															
Iowa															
Maine															
Ohio															
Utah															

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# ANACROSTIC 1

by Jacqueline E. Mathews

Your finished Anacrostic will be a quotation which you will have written in the diagram on the opposite page. It will read from left to right, and you will see that there is a black square only at the end of a word. Here's how to go about solving:

**Step One:** Fill in as many of the words in the WORDS column as you can, using the DEFINITIONS at the left.

**Step Two:** Transfer the letters from the WORDS column to the diagram.

**Step Three:** Now you can work back from the diagram to the WORDS list. The letters next to the numbers in the diagram correspond to the lettered definitions. You will find many clues: T-E in the diagram is often THE, so you may try that H in the WORDS list. Short words like OF, TO, AND, and word endings like -ED and -ING give other clues for the WORDS list. One more help: The initial letters of the words in the WORDS column spell out the name of the author and the work quoted. Puzzle 1 has been started for you.

Quotations are on page 128.

Word Lists are on page 126.

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. Faint odor	W 75	H 54	I 163	F 153	F 47					
B. Grab suddenly	25	104	55	4	63	159				
C. Slender	57	129	135	97						
D. Angler's vessel	134	109	32	148	120	161	40			
E. Not settled: 4 wds.	69	60	5	121	160	34	59	89	149	103
F. Hard on the ears	139	152	95	162	74					
G. Royal realm	112	3	126	107	141	98	36			
H. Jogs along	145	76	156	53	46					
I. Garb for Sister Mary Ignatius	146	122	82	125	16					
J. Scottish capital	67	151	77	136	172	157	52	7	169	
K. Vivid, graceful speech	113	17	14	68	91	35	106	115	83	
L. Enamel coating	100	42	116	90	24	87	12			
M. Occurrences	101	43	92	65	50	15				
N. Apes	13	22	110	138	84	93				
O. Set up (a nation)	44	171	154	26	133	30	105	88	58	



- P. Head; noodle  
 Q. Sounds a horn  
 R. Intelligence: slang  
 S. Intermittently: 3 wds.  
 T. Disapproving looks  
 U. Western watering hole  
 V. Strong desire or craving  
 W. — National Park, Wyoming  
 X. Peaceful and orderly: hyph. wd.  
 Y. Spring basket item: 2 wds.

6 114 127 158 79 38  
 164 20 142 78 49  
 168 86 102 41 131 9  
 64 165 99 111 144 39 130 62  
 10 150 23 124 71 29  
 118 18 166 85 11 56  
 108 155 37 21 66 33  
 173 61 123 45 96 1 128 72  
 31 27 51  
 73 167 143 48 19 8 28 119 80 140  
 70 117 132 94 170 2 147 137 81

1	W	2	Y	3	G	4	B	5	E	6	P	7	J		8	X	9	R		10	T	11	U	12	L		13	N					
14	K	15	M	16	I			17	K	18	U	19	X	20	Q	21	V	22	N	23	T	24	L	25	B		26	O	27	W			
28	X			29	T	30	O	31	W	32	D			33	V	34	E	35	K			36	G	37	V	38	P	39	S				
40	D	41	R	42	L	43	M	44	O	45	W	46	H			47	A	48	X	49	Q	50	M	51	W	52	J			53	H		
54	A	55	B	56	U			57	C	58	O	59	E			60	E	61	W	62	S			63	B	64	S	65	M	66	V		
H																																	
67	J	68	K	69	E	70	Y	71	T	72	W	73	X	74	F					75	A	76	H	77	J	78	Q	79	P	80	X	81	Y
		82	I	83	K	84	N	85	U	86	R	87	L	88	O					89	E			90	L	91	K	92	M	93	N	94	Y
95	F	96	W	97	C			98	G	99	S			100	L	101	M	102	R	103	E	104	B	105	O	106	K	107	G				
108	V	109	D			110	N	111	S	112	G	113	K			114	P	115	K	116	L	117	Y	118	U	119	X	120	D	121	E		
122	I	123	W			124	T	125	I	126	G	127	P			128	W	129	C	130	S	131	R	132	Y			133	O	134	D		
135	C	136	J	137	Y	138	N	139	F	140	X			141	G	142	Q	143	X	144	S			145	H	146	I	147	Y				
148	D	149	E	150	T	151	J			152	F	153	A			154	O	155	V	156	H	157	J	158	P	159	B	160	E				
161	D	162	F			163	A	164	Q					165	S	166	U	167	X	168	R	169	J	170	Y	171	O			172	J	173	W
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# ANACROSTIC 2

by Wesley H. Faunce

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. Soak to the bone

87 119 78 133 64 2

B. Optometrist's concern

86 151 106 72 155 118 143 92

C. Have charge of

139 150 47 84 63 69

D. Occupy (a house)

79 107 30 145 59 24 68

E. Dislike intensely

20 144 134 51 129 132

F. Cosmetics maven Estée

L A U D E R  
94 123 28 70 60 7

G. Capture the essence of

43 148 103 4 125 112 73 12 130

H. Extends (a subscription)

R E N E W S  
65 120 135 31 137 76

I. Experience a prickling sensation

74 152 117 81 21 66

J. Physical form of greeting

89 121 62 136 58 149 67 23 82

K. Organic catalyst

41 80 13 38 5 147

L. Stain or spot

15 95 108 54 61 9 40

M. Get the better of, by cleverness

16 90 33 142 75 127

N. Canada's capital

O T T A W A  
111 25 29 6 1 11

O. Arc lamp used on film sets: 2 wds.

8 45 34 18 154 122 116 98 52 156

P. Stubborn; mulish

138 124 56 99 22 32 71 128 93

Q. Photography need, at nighttime

F L A S H  
42 102 19 26 115

R. Law court's goal

10 126 110 39 57 35 53

S. Unpleasant consequence

3 50 88 113 146 131 14 37 100

T. Makes angry

109 96 83 44 91

U. Performer appearing by special invitation

G U E S T  
48 55 140 104 114

V. Do away with

49 77 17 46 27 105 101

W. Simpleton

153 36 141 97 85





Quotation is on page 128.

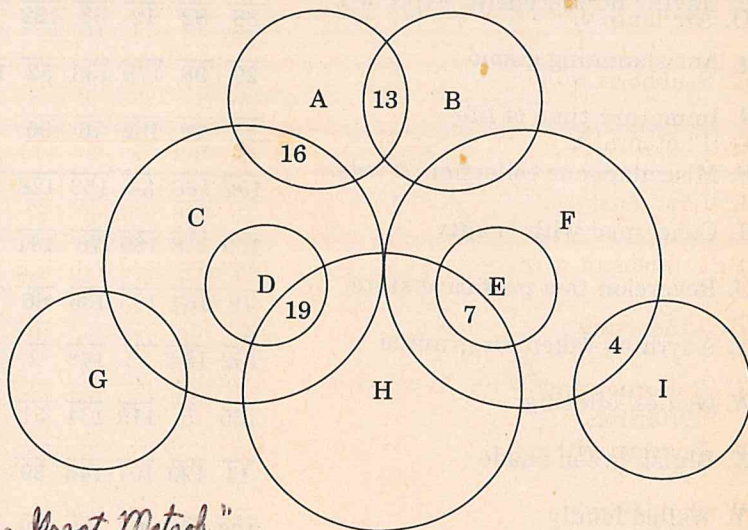
Word list is on page 126.

## CIRCLE MATH

The diagram below is composed of overlapping circles, each identified by a letter. Each letter has a different number value from 1 through 9. Where some circles overlap, there is a number: This number is the SUM of the values of the letters in the overlapping circles. With these helps, can you figure out the correct number value for each letter?

Answer is on page 125.

**NOTE:** The overlap sum given for a circle completely within another circle also includes the value of the containing circle. For example, circle D, its containing circle C, and overlapping circle H have a total value of 19. If D = 7 and H = 8, then C would equal 4.



*Bobbi Adler*  
*"I'm Dreaming of a Great Matzah"*  
*It Ain't Over...*  
*V&R Records*

# ANACROSTIC 3

by Arlene Fisher

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. German city known for fine porcelain

B. Reprove gently

C. Very animated

D. Natural, as a trait

E. Make part of the posse

F. Order from the dentist

G. Locomotive

H. On the way up

I. Put on tape

J. Ardent supporter

K. Instructional unit

L. Optical instruments

M. Former Austrian prince

N. Heredity transmitters

O. Violet gem

P. Having no precedent: hyph. wd.

Q. Antislamming gizmo

R. Immature time of life

S. Miscellaneous collection: 2 wds.

T. Concerned with beauty

U. Reversion to a primitive state

V. Anything taken for granted

W. Genies' offering

X. Bluish-green shade

Y. Wailed loudly

176 21 170 105 64 72 162

115 80 53 106 96 10 139 60

136 125 108 7 153 177 161 20 113

101 8 23 56 112 22 130 147

175 41 26 17 88 48 141 77

152 57 165 59 85

73 178 163 87 110 83

172 111 100 81 174 11

27 79 16 43 92 46

171 35 49 114 30 104 66 173 180 145

65 149 94 74 151 167

160 70 99 159 137 168

61 42 31 89 143 121 117 3

90 142 37 68 144

24 78 97 69 9 36 150 133

38 82 12 32 122 4 47 54 44

29 98 179 138 52 123 157 62

15 28 182 75 95

102 166 34 156 128 181 127

109 118 169 76 131 124 140 6

19 164 183 135 86 40 1 116 67

132 184 25 148 2 71 55 93 154 126

155 5 119 134 51 58

14 120 107 146 39 91 84 50 103 129

158 45 13 18 63 33



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57	F	58	W			59	F	60	B	61	M	62	Q	63	Y	64	A			65	K	66	J	67	U	68	N			69	O	70	L		
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114	J	115	B	116	U	117	M	118	T				119	W	120	X	121	M	122	P	123	Q	124	T	125	C	126	V	127	S				128	S
129	X	130	D	131	T	132	V	133	O	134	W				135	U	136	C	137	L	138	Q	139	B	140	T	141	E	142	N	143	M			
144	N	145	J	146	X	147	D	148	V	149	K	150	O			151	K	152	F				153	C	154	V	155	W	156	S	157	Q	158	Y	
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173	J	174	H	175	E			176	A	177	C	178	G	179	Q	180	J	181	S	182	R	183	U	184	V										

Quotation is on page 128.

Word list is on page 126.

## PHONE WORDS

The folks who run the eight local businesses and institutions below feel people would remember their phone numbers better if each were a 7-letter word associated in some way with their work. Consequently, they've chosen the phone numbers given. Using the dial pad shown, can you figure out each number's correspondingly related word? Remember that a number may stand for more than one letter – for example, 3 may be D, E, or F.

Answers are on page 125.

1	ABC	DEF
2		
GHI	JKL	MNO
4	5	6
PRS	TUV	WXY
7	8	9
*	0	#

- Franklin's Fabrics 927-3243
- Bottom Line Accounting Firm 397-3673
- Allergy Treatment Center 724-9333
- Association of Dental Professionals 494-4363
- Sue's Sewing Instruction 227-8464
- Best Math & Science Tutoring 749-7427
- Good Sense Broadcasting Company 638-9675
- ZOOM: The Photography Shop 226-3727

YARDAGE

No websites?

# ANACROSTIC 4

by Jacquelyn D. Bivins

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

- A. Like a noble knight
- B. Leaks slowly: 2 wds.
- C. Cuts of lamb
- D. Titles
- E. Famous last words: Latin
- F. Shaping machine
- G. Feeling curious
- H. Visitors from afar
- I. West Indies capital: 2 wds.
- J. Stieglitz print
- K. Mexican menu item
- L. Very poor
- M. Subscription viewing system:  
2 wds.
- N. Pool game: 2 wds.
- O. Rioters, collectively
- P. Insect-shaped angling lure
- Q. Appalling
- R. Auto-racing site
- S. "Our Miss Brooks" star: 2 wds.
- T. Give out
- U. "Who Can I Turn To?" composer
- V. Wee bit
- W. Ms. Wood
- X. Came forth
- Y. Imagine or conceive
- Z. Ensemble extra

94	22	165	173	36	124	88	77	133	92
166	140	13	69	115	45	71	21		
96	14	105	55	121					
42	154	134	87	68					
31	80	159	122	135	148	130	25	56	
112	168	152	18	49					
147	74	61	106	118	89	28	70	180	48
143	156	4	177	107	67				
29	24	169	132	78	127	8			
111	58	46	164	34	63	79	50	72	153
98	2	76	35	54	136	91	170	43	
178	59	64	3	126					
97	82	15	53	137	33	37			
30	73	44	86	158	150	101	125	139	
83	66	128	39	160	108				
32	123	114	145	51	100				
7	90	144	151	11					
155	19	103	131	172	6	146			
23	141	38	75	109	47	10	102		
174	60	93	120	161					
20	40	65	99	117	110				
12	175	85	5						
171	62	17	52	176	157	142			
84	113	116	167	41	138				
1	9	26	162	57	119				
95	179	163	16	149	104	129	27	81	



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63	J	64	L			65	U	66	O	67	H			68	D	69	B	70	G				71	B	72	J			73	N	74	G		
75	S			76	K	77	A	78	I	79	J	80	E	81	Z	82	M	83	O	84	X			85	V	86	N	87	D	88	A	89	G	
			90	Q	91	K	92	A			93	T	94	A	95	Z	96	C	97	M	98	K	99	U	100	P			101	N	102	S	103	R
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170	K			171	W	172	R			173	A	174	T	175	V	176	W	177	H	178	L	179	Z	180	G									

Quotation is on page 128.

Word list is on page 126.

## WORD MINE

Form all the 4- and 5-letter words you can by using only the letters in the word below. You may use a letter more than once in a word **ONLY** if it appears more than once in **TEMPTINGLY**. Words beginning with a capital letter, contractions, plurals, hyphenated, obsolete, slang, poetic, archaic, foreign, and dialect words are not allowed.

Our list of 38 4-letter words and 20 5-letter words is on page 125.

TEMPTINGLY

Your list of words:

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# ANACROSTIC 5

by Eugenia Thoenen

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

- A. Kate Hudson, to Word F
- B. "De Profundis" author: 2 wds.
- C. Affected every part of
- D. Fruitlessly: 2 wds.
- E. Inspired by a desire to surpass another
- F. "Private Benjamin" star: 2 wds.
- G. Vulgar; tawdry
- H. Natural-gas component
- I. Producing a definite result
- J. Sovereign land
- K. Not easily convinced
- L. Assumed without proof
- M. Mountainous Greek peninsula
- N. Irritating
- O. Horse-opera climax
- P. "Mona Lisa," for one: 3 wds.
- Q. Neighbor of Djibouti
- R. Magazine employee
- S. Political cartoonist of note: 2 wds.
- T. "I appreciate it!"
- U. Like some pools
- V. Spades or hearts, to Sharif: 2 wds.
- W. Social standing
- X. Encased (a dirk)

103 45 18 109 38 51 146 90

127 164 14 180 82 43 115 77 92 24

178 104 65 58 85 158 132

93 116 153 83 78 111

84 8 136 57 33 125 114

37 4 32 69 156 53 110 183 54 79

46 20 100 34 29 142 149

70 94 74 16 49 124

150 62 151 140 182 86 36 30 117

181 60 167 163 107 17

81 19 26 165 39 160 3 172 99

179 47 27 12 108 171 152 139 129 159

11 145 87 102 119

123 135 157 1 35 42 105 9 67 59

161 23 75 55 133 96 112 28

71 63 126 184 166 25 91 10 120

185 61 21 95 170 128 76 31

7 106 138 148 177 122

173 162 2 5 68 186 97 130 66 22

169 52 98 131 174 147

72 137 50 64 101 155

6 168 41 154 56 40 48 80 89

88 44 143 118 73 175

176 15 13 144 113 134 121 141



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33	E	34	G			35	N	36	I	37	F	38	A	39	K	40	V			41	V	42	N	43	B	44	W		45	A	46	G		
47	L	48	V	49	H	50	U			51	A	52	T	53	F			54	F	55	O	56	V	57	E	58	C		59	N	60	J		
61	Q			62	I	63	P	64	U	65	C	66	S				67	N	68	S	69	F	70	H			71	P	72	U	73	W	74	H
		75	O	76	Q	77	B			78	D	79	F				80	V	81	K	82	B	83	D	84	E	85	C			86	I	87	M
88	W			89	V	90	A	91	P	92	B	93	D	94	H	95	Q	96	O	97	S	98	T	99	K			100	G	101	U	102	M	
103	A			104	C	105	N			106	R	107	J	108	L	109	A	110	F	111	D	112	O	113	X	114	E			115	B	116	D	
		117	I	118	W	119	M	120	P	121	X	122	R	123	N			124	H	125	E	126	P	127	B	128	Q	129	L			130	S	
131	T	132	C			133	O	134	X	135	N			136	E	137	U	138	R	139	L	140	I	141	X			142	G	143	W	144	X	
145	M	146	A	147	T			148	R	149	G	150	I			151	I	152	L	153	D	154	V	155	U	156	F	157	N	158	C			
159	L	160	K	161	O	162	S			163	J	164	B			165	K	166	P	167	J	168	V	169	T	170	Q			171	L	172	K	
173	S	174	T	175	W	176	X			177	R	178	C			179	L	180	B	181	J	182	I	183	F	184	P	185	Q	186	S			

Quotation is on page 128.

Word list is on page 126.

## EIGHT QUERIES OF CHANUKAH

Chanukah is a celebration of the victory of the Maccabees and the rededication of the Jerusalem Temple. It also commemorates the miracle of the oil that burned for eight days. See how much you know about the Festival of Lights by answering the following questions.

Answers are on page 125.

- How many branches does a menorah have?  
a. 8   ☒ b. 9   c. 10   d. 7
- What is the shamash?  
a. a prayer   b. a traditional dance   c. a candle   d. a traditional dish
- When should the candles be lit?  
a. in the morning   b. during dinner   ☒ c. when night falls   d. on Saturday
- Where should the menorah be placed?  
a. entrance window   b. mantel   c. bedroom   ☒ d. dining area
- What is traditionally eaten during Chanukah?  
☒ a. latkes   b. blintzes   c. matzoh   d. challah rolls
- Chanukah is celebrated on what day of Kislev (Jewish calendar month)?  
a. 8th   ☒ b. 25th   c. 5th   d. 9th
- What game do children love to play during Chanukah?  
☒ a. dreidel   b. hide-and-seek   c. cards   d. tag
- What does "Chanukah" mean in Hebrew?  
a. love   b. dedication   c. "We are blessed"   ☒ d. miracle

*Will the miracle happen  
here in Laguna Beach?*

# ANACROSTIC 6

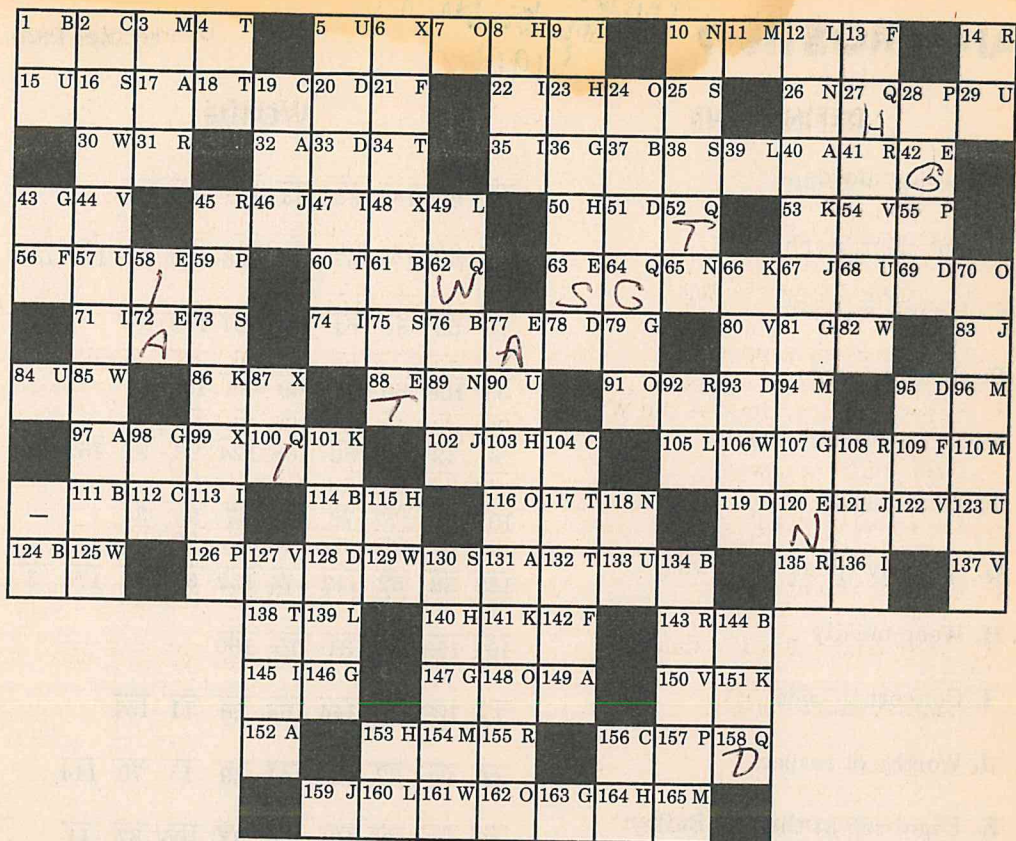
by Margy Capeci

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. Worked hard	131 32 149 17 97 40 152
B. Bean spiller, of sorts	124 61 144 134 1 111 37 76 114
C. Cut of beef from the leg	104 156 2 112 19
D. Cheerleader's prop	93 78 119 33 128 95 51 69 20
E. Spencer Tracy film, "— the Wind"	AGAINS
F. Gave a lift, in a way	109 56 142 13 21
G. "Twice-Told Tales" author	43 81 98 147 146 36 79 163 107
H. Old Testament book	50 164 140 115 153 8 103 23
I. Using credit: 3 wds. (slang)	136 9 22 71 113 145 47 74 35
J. Englishman's derby	83 46 102 159 121 67
K. Elliptical	66 86 151 141 101 53
L. Discover (something hidden)	49 160 39 139 12 105
M. Was filled with desire	110 94 154 3 11 96 165
N. Made manifest	118 89 10 26 65
O. From side to side	24 91 148 116 7 162 70
P. In a snit	126 59 157 55 28
Q. Gooden or Eisenhower	DWIGHT
R. Slight unit of gain	92 108 45 14 31 143 41 155 135
S. Circus employees	25 75 16 130 38 73
T. Cocktail implements	132 60 117 4 138 18 34
U. Result (in)	15 57 133 29 123 84 68 5 90
V. Wonderful: slang	122 80 44 137 150 127 54
W. Having a dark complexion	82 106 161 129 85 30 125
X. Small sailing vessel	87 99 6 48





Quotation is on page 128.

Word list is on page 126.

## CHANGELINGS

Can you change the first word into the second word (in each set below) by changing only one letter at a time? Do not rearrange the order of the letters with each change. Each change must result in a real, everyday word; and words beginning with a capital letter, slang, or obsolete words are not allowed. The number in parentheses indicates the number of changes we used for that Changeling.

Our answers are on page 127.

Example: TINY to BIRD (4 changes) TINY 1. TINS 2. hINS 3. BIND 4. BIRD

1. COLD to WIND (4)

2. PASS to BALL (4)

3. LOGS to AXES (5)

4. TANK to POOL (5)

5. YULE to SEAL (6)



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# ANACROSTIC 7

*Melissa  
September 8,  
1961*

by Mel Taub

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. Deeply unhappy	39 50 148 26 63 111 133 157
B. Not clear: hyph. wd.	62 145 172 57 89 166 100 40 179 131
C. Means of escape	16 53 84 61 134 137 154 167
D. Ceased: 2 wds.	33 156 85 2 60 88 181
E. Strong verbal attack	8 42 149 56 168 124 93 97 162
F. Small planet	107 91 177 78 165 47 95 34
G. Roughly speaking: 3 wds.	159 38 52 112 174 152 65 83 178 3
H. Weep noisily	101 153 135 31 75 160
I. Convert to code	12 127 28 144 163 19 71 151
J. Worthy of respect	49 94 77 104 141 29 15 70 114
K. Legal rep at the Old Bailey	170 139 126 161 176 37 105 87 11
L. Institute	150 99 73 171 121 155 45 7 129
M. Long lamentation or complaint	66 164 140 17 6 102 22 55
N. Like Fitzgerald's "The Last Tycoon"	67 82 175 98 119 14 46 27 130 143
O. Mutated peach	96 125 10 43 20 59 1 68 120
P. Was compatible: 2 wds.	69 128 58 158 146 25 90 136
Q. First name of Word R	24 81 9 51 32 103 30
R. U.S. polar explorer (1880-1951)	4 173 180 74 54 147 138 36 44
S. Checked (for fingerprints)	86 76 23 21 122 109
T. Downsizing through natural causes	142 110 123 79 41 169 115 118 108
U. Submissive	106 72 5 80 13 35 117 132
V. Be ravenous	116 18 64 113 48 92



1	O	2	D		3	G	4	R	5	U	6	M	7	L		8	E	9	Q	10	O	11	K	12	I	13	U	14	N
15	J	16	C	17	M		18	V	19	I	20	O	21	S		22	M			23	S	24	Q	25	P	26	A	27	N
	28	I	29	J	30	Q		31	H	32	Q	33	D	34	F		35	U	36	R	37	K		38	G	39	A		
40	B		41	T	42	E		43	O	44	R	45	L	46	N		47	F	48	V	49	J	50	A	51	Q	52	G	
53	C	54	R	55	M	56	E	57	B		58	P	59	O	60	D	61	C	62	B	63	A	64	V	65	G		66	M
67	N	68	O	69	P	70	J	71	I		72	U	73	L	74	R		75	H	76	S	77	J	78	F	79	T		
80	U	81	Q	82	N	83	G		84	C	85	D		86	S	87	K	88	D	89	B	90	P	91	F	92	V		
93	E	94	J		95	F	96	O	97	E	98	N	99	L	100	B	101	H	102	M	103	Q	104	J	105	K	106	U	
107	F	108	T	109	S		110	T	111	A	112	G	113	V	114	J		115	T	116	V		117	U	118	T	119	N	
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133	A	134	C	135	H	136	P		137	C	138	R		139	K	140	M	141	J	142	T	143	N	144	I	145	B	146	P
147	R		148	A	149	E	150	L	151	I		152	G	153	H	154	C	155	L	156	D	157	A		158	P			
159	G	160	H	161	K	162	E		163	I	164	M	165	F	166	B	167	C	168	E	169	T		170	K	171	L	172	B
	173	R		174	G	175	N		176	K	177	F	178	G	179	B	180	R	181	D									

Quotation is on page 128.

Word list is on page 126.

## QUOTEWORDS

This puzzle is similar to a Quotation Puzzle, but involves placing whole words, rather than individual letters, into the diagram. As in a Quotation Puzzle, the words are to be placed into the boxes directly above them, but may or may not go into the boxes in the same order in which they are given. It is up to you to decide which word to place into each box such that, when all the words are entered, you will find a little truism by reading across the boxes. The words in the first column are correctly placed and will help you to place the other words.

Answer is on page 125.

TO				
LIKE				
A				
THE				
	SHIP	IT	EXPERIENCE	PASSED
	MOST	STERN	HAS	ONLY
	TRACK	PEOPLE	ILLUMINATE	OF
	THE	WHICH	LIGHTS	IS

# ANACROSTIC 8

by John A. Johnston

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. Having a harsh manner

117 61 141 175 4 151 147

B. Kind and sociable

92 173 83 36 89 167 109 15 130 159

C. Blue blood of the fair sex

54 72 174 79 27 106 75 166 96 84

D. Blew up

113 1 104 145 33 164 44 21

E. Isolates (from): 2 wds.

13 116 24 67 31 16 162 76

F. Scolding lady

118 140 50 62 8 154 40 170 74

G. Stretch

129 168 66 9 88 150 41 37

H. Lacking intelligence

110 165 135 144 29 73 45

I. Spiritual revelation

2 98 87 71 139 80 124 59

J. Ice-cream variety

153 82 163 14 120 86 111 39 57 65

K. Work stoppage

99 133 121 43 17 126 58 35

L. European monarchy

114 157 105 169 81

M. Medieval wall hangings

155 12 107 70 128 138 102 152 20 38

N. Harshness

146 77 46 122 101 69 119

O. Pointed saying

158 78 143 132 95 55 171 25

P. Robert Owen's socialistic settlement: 2 wds.

23 149 3 100 123 108 51 137 5 142

Q. Accra's country

6 11 34 125 22

R. Arrayed for war

134 97 26 52 32 127 56 93 10

S. Valley region

136 60 148 131 63 47 112

T. Nervously excited

91 30 7 18 115 90 103 28

U. Herman of jazz fame

94 160 156 48 64

V. Met the needs of

68 42 161 85 53 19 49 172



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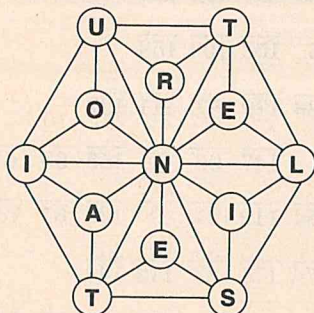
Word list is on page 126.

## SPELLATHON

The idea of Spellathon is to spell as many 5- and 6-letter words as you can by moving along the connecting lines from one letter to another in the diagram below. Do not skip letters. You may come back to a letter and use it more than once in the same word (as in "linen"); but do not stand on a letter, using it twice in direct succession (as in "innate"). Words beginning with a capital letter, contractions, plurals, present-tense verbs ending in "s" (as in "antes") hyphenated, obsolete, slang, poetic, archaic, foreign, and dialect words are not allowed.

Our list of 22 5-letter and 17 6-letter words is on page 125.

Your list of words:



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# ANACROSTIC 9

by Ronald Schoenleber

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. Blacked out

101 178 39 152 32 16 65

B. Up for auction: 3 wds.

19 115 54 33 103 96 89 43

C. "Watership Down" adventurers

75 37 162 44 92 70

95 28 138 58 175 142 109

D. Black eyes: slang

161 180 141 136 13 82 148

E. Earn money respectably: 4 wds.

154 139 34 165 135 125 91 55

F. Having superior airs

73 97 176 169 183 81 120 8 84

74 167 94 85 69 52 40 146

G. Lose one's temper: 3 wds.

46 170 132 76 35 123 100 143 117

H. Source of large plumes

66 133 41 31 23 150 36

I. Light, four-wheeled carriage

2 159 60 77 134 71 185

J. With just enough for immediate needs: 4 wds.

51 49 30 156 107 116 14 80

38 163 6 24 128 173 177

K. Biased; uneven: hyph. wd.

126 79 149 11 160 105 20 137

L. Beaming with joy

87 114 130 166 7 25 172

M. Become angry: 4 wds.

168 110 127 151 64 68 12 187

45 53 27 86 98 3 29

N. Finishing-school subject

157 88 118 18 78 184 158 145 104

O. Brought into accord

140 181 113 5 108 102 153

P. Objects (to): 2 wds.

47 10 62 186 179 57 111 122

147 93 22 155 99 67

Q. Anticipated: 2 wds.

121 56 182 164 119 21 9 131 61 106

R. Where Lake Winnepesaukee is:  
2 wds.

129 26 72 174 171 83 112 144

42 50 17 48

S. Brave and noble

15 1 4 59 63 124 90





# ANACROSTIC 10

by Evelyn B. Rosenthal

## DEFINITIONS

## WORDS

A. Trite from overuse

73 46 98 58 70 37 150 115 142

B. Balancing aid for canoes

122 67 109 15 81 120 90 149 64

C. Preserves, in a way

30 132 124 18 53 99 26 62 112

D. Suburban device: 2 wds.

20 93 35 119 80 151 45 138 160

E. Sally Bowles' immortalizer

75 60 131 101 111 5 159 43 31

F. More underhanded

117 56 155 66 84 4 121

G. By chance

107 16 34 118 130 106 44 9

96 49 154 145

H. Generous

19 57 32 146 139 27 52 86 71

I. Ancient country in southwest Asia

48 144 114 72 36 33 63

J. Identification with another's feelings

28 100 61 24 42 13 126

K. Angular rebounds

41 141 12 29 108 88 92 77 23

L. On the road

102 68 22 156 59 127 134 6 2 54

M. Lowest or last

39 110 104 158 123 133 143 85 47 87

N. Not discussed

14 97 125 74 76 25 69 1

7 65 113

O. Times for jams: 2 wds.

79 147 116 137 105 128 152 91 8

P. Systems of hanging cable cars

136 153 157 95 21 140 51 83

Q. Was brighter than

103 40 94 82 17 10 38 135

R. Indispensable

11 89 3 78 148 55 50 129 161

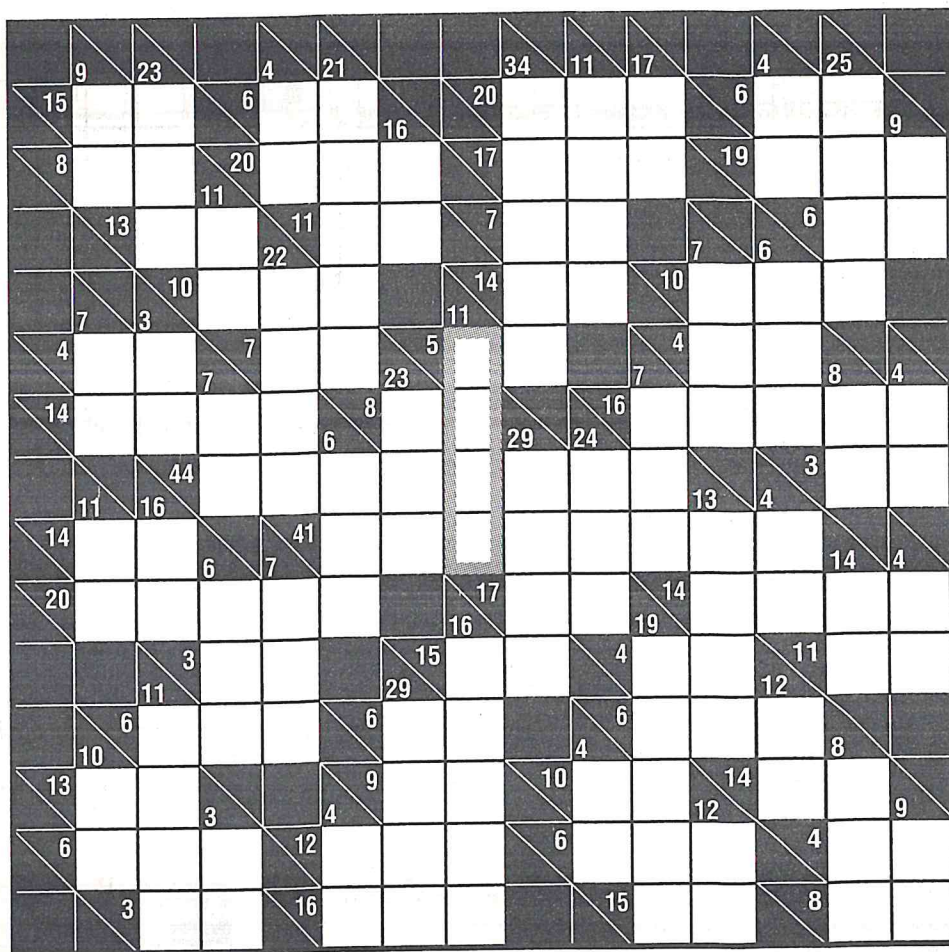




## CROSS SUMS

The numbers in the black squares in this puzzle refer to the sums of the digits to be filled into the empty spaces. The number below a diagonal line is the sum of the numbers below it. The number above a diagonal line is the sum of the numbers to the right of it. Place one digit (1 to 9, no zeros) in each square.

**IMPORTANT:** No digit is used more than once in any particular digit combination. We have outlined one area in the diagram. If you need help starting the puzzle, the digit combination for that area is listed on page 130. Solution is on page 121.



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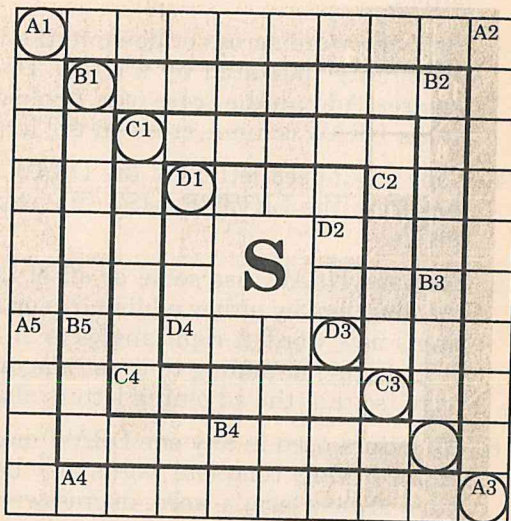


## RING AROUND THE SQUARE

Beginning with A1, fill in the answers to the clues moving clockwise around each ring in the diagram. When you are finished with the outer ring (A), move into the next ring (B). Start at B1 and fill in the answers to the clues for that ring, again moving clockwise around the square. Answers may or may not overlap. When you have filled in all of the answers, completing each ring, the letters in the circled boxes reading diagonally (including the "S" already entered in the center box) will spell out a word that's fitting for this time of year.

Solution is on page 123.

- A1. Christmas treats: 2 wds.
- A2. "...while visions of — danced in their heads"
- A3. Fireplace dangles
- A4. North Pole VIP
- A5. Like a haloed being
- B1. Holiday lights site
- B2. Christmas tree trimming, sometimes
- B3. Tree accessory
- B4. Toys with pedals
- B5. Gift carrier?
- C1. Present adornments
- C2. Winter storm creation
- C3. "Away in a —"
- C4. Type of skates a child may find under the tree
- D1. It hangs from an eave
- D2. "O come — us adore Him..."
- D3. Decorate (the tree)
- D4. "The Gift of the —"



## DOUBLE PLUS

Using the vowels A, E, I, O, and U twice each and the given consonants once each, fill in the blanks in each puzzle below to form five 5-letter words reading across. If done correctly, another 5-letter word will appear in the indicated column reading down.

Answers are on page 125.

1. C K N Q R

↓

P	—	—	—	E
H	—	—	—	T
F	—	—	—	D
V	—	—	—	L
T	—	—	—	N

2. H L P R S

↓

S	—	—	—	T
T	—	—	—	D
C	—	—	—	N
V	—	—	—	S
C	—	—	—	T

In this game of word solitaire, gain the highest score possible by forming words from your LETTER LIST, placing them in the DIAGRAM so that the words are formed both across (always from the left) and down (always from the top).

1. Write the first seven letters from the LETTER LIST on the first line of the DRAW COLUMN.
2. Form a common English word (no proper nouns) using two or more of these letters.
3. Place the word across or down in the DIAGRAM, either starting or ending in the square indicated by a circle. Do not place letters on any blacked-out squares. Add up the score (see 7 below) and enter it into the SCORE column. In the DRAW column, cross off the letters you used.
4. Copy all unused letters of the DRAW onto the next line, and add enough letters from the LETTER LIST (in sequence) to bring the DRAW up to seven letters.
5. For each DRAW, use some or all of the seven letters to form a new word in the diagram, by either adding one or more letters to an existing word, or setting a new word at right angles to an existing word (either incorporating one of its letters or adding to it), or placing your new word parallel to an existing word (so that the adjoining letters also form words).
6. All letters used in any one DRAW must be used in only one row, either across or down. Only complete words may be formed. Letters adjoining other letters must always form a word, in crossword form.
7. Write your DRAW score in the SCORE column each time you complete one DRAW by adding together all the numbers in the corners of the squares used to form or modify words. If a word has been changed by adding a letter or letters (such as adding "s," "ed," "re," etc.), count the entire word again toward your score. Two or more words formed at the same time are both counted; the square common to both new words is counted with each word. Words within words are not counted.
8. If you cannot use any letters from a given DRAW, cross off all seven letters and subtract 25 points from your score for that DRAW. Bring down the next seven letters from the LETTER LIST and try to form your next word.
9. When the DRAW column is complete, the game is finished, whether or not all the letters from the LETTER LIST have been used. If all the letters in the LETTER LIST have been transferred to the DRAW column, you may continue to form words through the final DRAW, transferring any unused letters to the remaining lines of the DRAW column. If at any time, all the letters from the LETTER LIST are used up to form words, add 50 points to your score and count the game as complete. Your final score is calculated by adding up all the points in the SCORE column.
10. When you **finish** the puzzle, the same word must not appear twice in the diagram.

When you have completed the game, you may play it again by making your own diagram and reversing the order of the letter list.



# SOLICROSS 1

## LETTER LIST

RAIMTCHVEBW E U O P N L E Z A M E T C A L O E R  
E M H G I U V U W L A M Q O X F B A E N L O A Y D H R I T E

## DIAGRAM

[illegible]

**OUR TOTAL SCORE: 381**  
Our solution is on page 125.

	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
5		4	4	4	4	4	4	4	5
5	4	3			3	3	3	4	5
5	4	3	2	2	2	3	4	5	
5									
5	4	3	2	2	2	3	4	5	
5									
5			3	2	2	2	3	4	5
5									
5	4	3	3	3	3	3	4	5	
5									
5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	
5	5	5	5	5	5	5			5

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## SOLICROSS 2

## LETTER LIST

YPACOMNIKLENITCREGYOMENAVIEBAT  
UCEMOSIROTHAPNOIMUCERCATHNYESR

## DIAGRAM

[illegible]

**OUR TOTAL SCORE: 407**  
Our solution is on page 125.

[illegible]

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## WORD ARITHMETIC

**These are long-division problems in which letters are substituted for numbers. Solve the problem; determine the number value of each letter; and, when the letters in each one have been arranged in order from 0 to 9, they will spell out a word or phrase.**

**Answers are on page 129.**

1.		ELK
0	DINE	N EEDLE
1		D INE
2		E LLEL
3		E B IOL
4		E IIRE
5		E ELRK
6		E KTB
7		
8		
9		

<b>2.</b>		SUN
<u>0</u>	L A N D	S N A I L S
<u>1</u>		
<u>2</u>		<u>S D R A</u>
<u>3</u>		D U I L
<u>4</u>		
<u>5</u>		<u>U O E O</u>
<u>6</u>		L A R N S
<u>7</u>		
<u>8</u>		<u>N E D I</u>
<u>9</u>		N D N

3.

0	1	3784	2634237	431
1	T	ARMS	TOASTER	SAT
2	W		TFTAO	
3	A		22059	
4	S		22352	
5	F		TTFWF	
6	O		7077	
7	R		7077	
8	M		3784	
9	E		ARMS	
			3293	
			AWEA	

4. 

0	COOK	LOGICAL
1		
2		LIADP
3		DOLD A
4		DGLO A
5		
6		A K C B L
7		
8		A P C K D
9		D K I I

**5.**

		I R E
0	U S E	S T E A K
1		E S T
2		C T A
3		U S E
4		U T E K
5		U I E T
6		R F I
7		
8		
9		

6. O X

0		L O U S Y
1	F O X Y	L O U S Y
2		F O X Y
3		O S A M Y
4		O S A M Y
5		O A S M Y
6		S J J
7		
8		
9		

### ACROSS

- |   |                          |                             |                                     |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Philosopher<br>Bacon                         | 42. Dismounted           | 77. Tom of<br>Broadway      | 106. Ancient<br>Tokyo               |
| 6. Noggin:<br>French                            | 43. Vexation             | 80. Waterproof<br>boots     | 107. Tribal symbol                  |
| 10. Zola or<br>Griffith                         | 45. Field honcho         | 81. Cosmetician<br>Lauder   | 108. Hun king                       |
| 15. Modest                                      | 46. Picture puzzle       | 82. Terrified               | 109. Social spot                    |
| 21. Mario's love                                | 49. Fad                  | 86. Mild oath               | 110. Hockey great                   |
| 22. Shakespeare's<br>stream                     | 50. A "Wiz" star         | 87. A Douglas               | 112. Imperfection                   |
| 23. Unsocal one                                 | 51. Fertile area         | 88. Joab killed<br>him      | 113. Rhone city                     |
| 24. Checked                                     | 54. Baltic feeder        | 89. Portuguese<br>governess | 115. Babylonian<br>god              |
| 25. Accomplish<br>very little:<br>2 wds.        | 55. Dear, to<br>Pierre   | 90. Tote up                 | 116. Palm leaf                      |
| 27. Sicilian saint                              | 56. Moola                | 91. Square<br>column        | 119. "Tsk":<br>German               |
| 28. Seagirt place                               | 57. Noisy display        | 92. Strong<br>opposition    | 120. John Glenn's<br>state          |
| 29. Freudian<br>concern                         | 58. Turkish title        | 93. Ostrich kin             | 121. Evil smirk                     |
| 30. Yard feature                                | 59. Porgy fish           | 96. Turner of<br>history    | 122. Defense<br>building            |
| 31. Nancy<br>Reagan's<br>Russian<br>counterpart | 60. Preschool<br>events  | 97. Australian<br>ladybug   | 123. Jewish title                   |
| 33. Staff degree?                               | 61. Drive insert         | 99. Potter's<br>120-Down    | 124. Pulley wheel                   |
| 35. King in<br>Cannes                           | 62. Mr. Damone           | 100. Sacred song            | 126. Scold                          |
| 36. — Bernardino                                | 63. Swift work           | 101. Hindu<br>teacher       | 128. Strong belief                  |
| 37. — out,<br>supplement                        | 65. Agglomera-<br>tions  | 102. Solicit (help)         | 131. Wobble                         |
| 38. Concur                                      | 67. Irritate             | 103. Selfish brat's<br>cry  | 132. Moles'<br>messages             |
| 39. Mining lode                                 | 68. Cheat: slang         | 104. Bluish-gray            | 133. Pitiful cry                    |
| 40. Angry                                       | 69. County Kerry<br>port | 105. Boston<br>suburb       | 134. Peter of<br>1960s pop<br>music |
| 41. Together                                    | 70. Alaskan<br>tongue    |                             | 135. TV's Francis                   |
|   | 71. Transmitted          |                             | 136. Corpulent                      |
|   | 72. Phrygian<br>king     |                             | 137. Ship of note                   |
|   | 73. Sign: slang          |                             | 138. Moore costar                   |
|   | 74. Romantic<br>effect   |                             |                                     |
|   | 76. Fellow: slang        |                             |                                     |

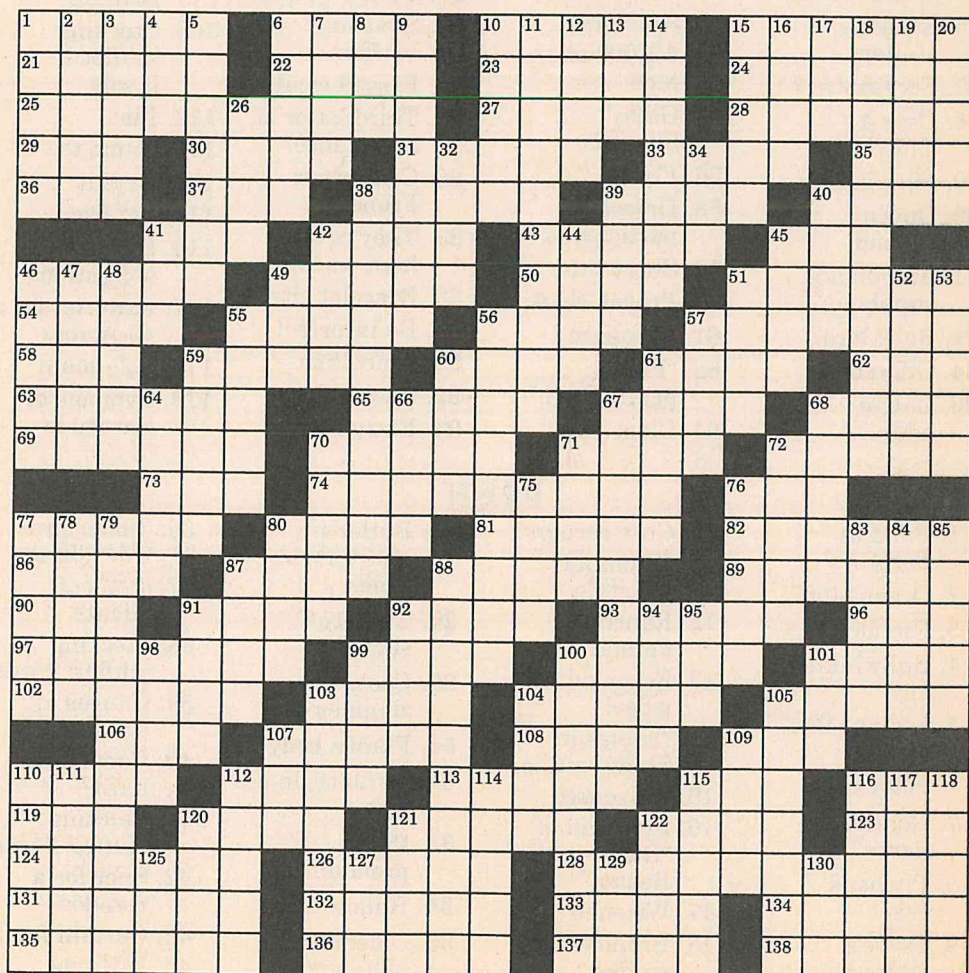
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| 1. Tantrums                 | 12. Member of an<br>ancient<br>civilization | 32. Comic<br>Johnson                | 47. Mystery<br>prize?                 |
| 2. It follows psi           | 13. Maui<br>souvenir                        | 34. High rating                     | 48. Holy woman                        |
| 3. Boarded:<br>2 wds.       | 14. Classroom<br>items                      | 38. Audible<br>appliance:<br>2 wds. | 49. He wrote<br>"Guerilla<br>Warfare" |
| 4. Sea eagle                | 15. Foremost                                | 39. — Hashana                       | 51. Show shock                        |
| 5. Visits anew              | 16. Door fastener                           | 40. Feudal peon                     | 52. Writer Jong                       |
| 6. Nevada<br>border lake    | 17. The whole<br>gang                       | 41. "That's —<br>boy!"              | 53. Turkey parts                      |
| 7. First name in<br>stunts? | 18. Shul symbol:<br>3 wds.                  | 42. Region                          | 55. Small<br>waterways                |
| 8. Rocky crag               | 19. Choir voice                             | 44. "Bonanza"<br>guy                | 56. Rancher                           |
| 9. Pep up                   | 20. Singer Fisher                           | 45. Standing                        | 57. Pugilist's tool                   |
| 10. "Dallas" role           | 26. Roused                                  | 46. Recipe<br>direction             | 59. George of<br>"Jezebel"            |
| 11. Small snares            |   |                                     |                                       |



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| 60. Grammar word           | 79. Steamboat propeller: 2 wds. | 98. D.C. employee             | 114. Actress Witherspoon     |
| 61. Italian poet           | 80. Tuna envelope?              | 99. Feline songstress         | 115. — nova                  |
| 64. Lit 101 staple         | 83. Invalidate                  | 100. Animated classic: 2 wds. | 116. Rigel's constellation   |
| 66. Some August celebrants | 84. Parade instrument           | 101. Chew the fat             | 117. West African money-unit |
| 67. Drills                 | 85. Youngest Oscar-winner       | 103. Soft leather             | 118. Dogpatch guy            |
| 68. Wall recess            | 87. Unite                       | 104. Dim                      | 120. Heat source             |
| 70. Iraqi city             | 88. Square-dance figures        | 105. Seedless grape           | 121. Faction                 |
| 71. Army folks: abbr.      | 91. Likewise                    | 107. Certain Asian country    | 122. Kukla's pal             |
| 72. Sorcerer               | 92. Copacetic                   | 109. Callao's country         | 125. Vexed: slang            |
| 75. Author Dinesen         | 94. Mata follower?              | 110. Until: Spanish           | 127. Fireplace ledge         |
| 76. Term of address        | 95. Measure of old              | 111. Paint pigment            | 129. An Ivy Leaguer          |
| 77. Move in and out        |                                 | 112. ¿Donde?                  | 130. "Help!"                 |
| 78. Poet Nash              |                                 |                               |                              |

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| 1. Asked                     | 39. Bills worth 100 satangs   | 66. Start (off)                 | 95. "Spartacus" author         |
| 6. Pricey                    | 40. Swing around              | 67. Court summary               | 96. Chain gang?                |
| 10. "— Mia," stage musical   | 41. Nonsense                  | 68. Sartorial pro               | 97. Windfall                   |
| 15. Arabian gulf             | 44. Reticent ones             | 70. Curlew's milieu             | 98. One of the directing Coens |
| 19. Dagger symbols           | 45. Clerestory insert         | 71. Swabbie's vessel            | 101. E-mail button             |
| 20. Concerning: 2 wds.       | 46. Sad song                  | 72. Vesicle                     | 102. Cantina order             |
| 21. Homer classic            | 47. Totally                   | 75. Fully aged                  | 103. Salonga of "Miss Saigon"  |
| 22. Corporate identity       | 48. Where most people live    | 76. Swift style                 | 106. Stocking stuffers         |
| 23. Stocking stuffer: 2 wds. | 49. Stocking stuffers: 2 wds. | 78. Flowing locks               | 109. Stocking stuffers: 3 wds. |
| 25. Stocking stuffers        | 52. A-listers                 | 79. Paeon cousin                | 112. Fit                       |
| 27. Fix firmly               | 54. 1/1,000 of an inch        | 80. Called strikes              | 113. Came to                   |
| 28. Uses a shuttle           | 55. Galas' discards           | 82. Stocking stuffers           | 114. Extent                    |
| 29. Mini buss?               | 56. Fixate                    | 84. Passed easily               | 115. Set free                  |
| 30. Dance around             | 58. Dressage participant      | 85. Third letter of acceptance? | 116. Had obligations           |
| 31. Ambulance supply         | 59. Short time                | 86. Outbursts: French           | 117. Material for a 45-Across  |
| 32. Baby bird?               | 60. Prayer beads              | 88. They're often kept on tap   | 118. Sole mate                 |
| 34. Offered                  | 61. Influence                 | 89. Bracelet site               | 119. Symbols of servitude      |
| 36. Cuban address            | 62. "Play it again, Sam!"     | 90. Be incorrect                |                                |
|                              | 64. Ciao: slang               | 91. Embellish                   |                                |
|                              |                               | 92. Cooked less                 |                                |
|                              |                               | 94. Exclusive                   |                                |

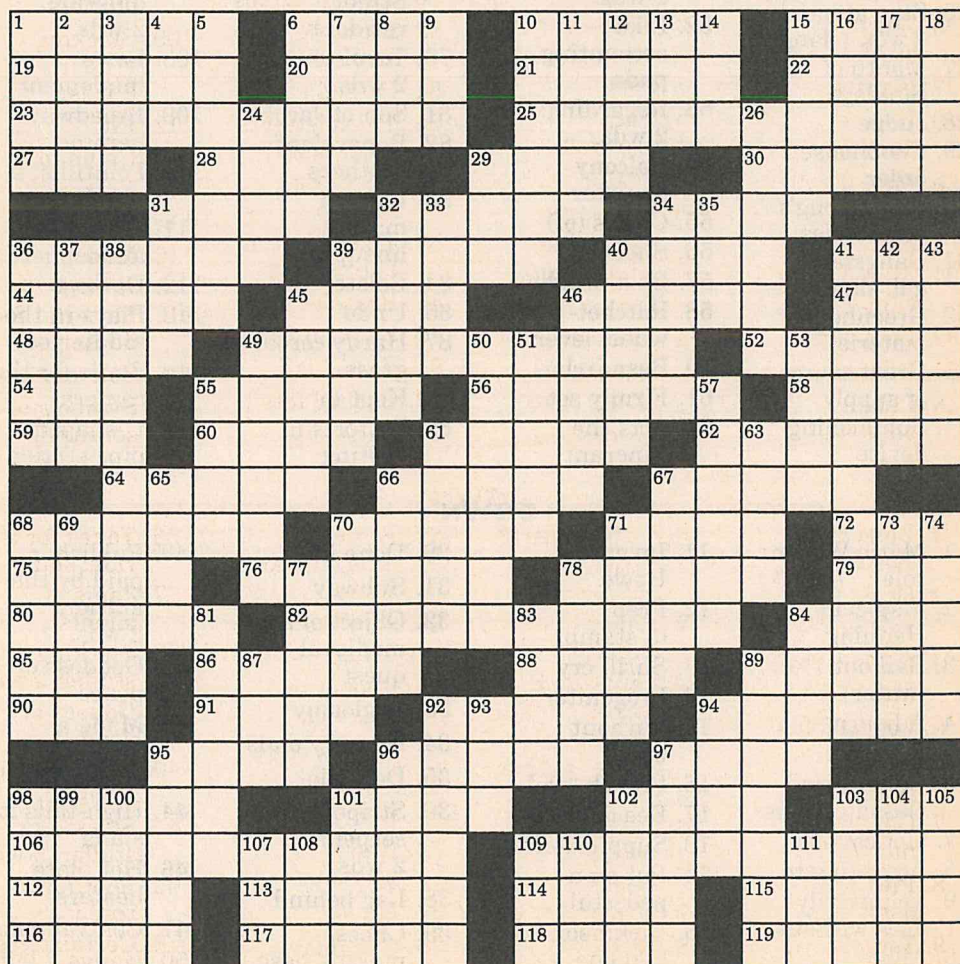
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| 1. Band in Boston    | 10. Cuts corners?             | 24. Butler's quarters, at times | 36. Takes for a ride: slang  |
| 2. Organ stop        | 11. "Bummer," old style       | 26. Still stuff: slang          | 37. Janis of silents         |
| 3. Faction           | 12. Ranch animal              | 29. Cooker or steamer           | 38. Stocking stuffer: 2 wds. |
| 4. Bullwinkle's kin  | 13. Fancy auto wheel          | 31. Plant's body                | 39. Causes of doom           |
| 5. Losing folks?     | 14. "Fables in Slang" author  | 32. Abrades, in a way           | 40. Come down hard?          |
| 6. Certain judgments | 15. Oil source                | 33. Plural pronoun              | 41. Stocking stuffer: 3 wds. |
| 7. Genesis name      | 16. Freeman of "Black Beauty" | 34. Hallow                      | 42. Spot for a reredos       |
| 8. Pitcher's asset   | 17. Wizenod                   | 35. Calendar abbreviation       | 43. Certain frosh            |
| 9. Tevye's address   | 18. Brandy sniffer            |                                 | 45. K.P. tool                |



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| 46. Result                          | 67. Deposits (money)             | 83. Basenji's lack                | 99. Soften              |
| 49. Includes                        | 68. Cooling-off period           | 84. Presently                     | 100. Big rent           |
| 50. Salon specialist                | 69. To love, to Louis            | 87. Article written by Cervantes? | 101. Pindar's promenade |
| 51. In excess of                    | 70. Opinion                      | 89. In a cold way                 | 102. Elder, for one     |
| 53. A little ruff around the edges? | 71. Sulky horse                  | 92. Hair highlighters             | 103. Appearance         |
| 55. Roman statesman                 | 73. "Die Fledermaus" maid        | 93. "The Breeze — I"              | 104. Loosen (up)        |
| 57. Successful pilot, often         | 74. Relinquished                 | 94. 1969 Hepburn stage musical    | 105. Barbary beasts     |
| 61. Hard job                        | 77. To one side                  | 95. Acknowledged                  | 107. Delay              |
| 63. Guitarist Lofgren               | 78. Cob and drake                | 96. Symbols of Wales              | 108. Tooler's punch     |
| 65. Like a fine port                | 81. Sara Roosevelt's maiden name | 97. Fundamental                   | 109. "Phooey!"          |
| 66. Places for cabins               |                                  | 98. Tunnel effect                 | 110. Is plural?         |
|                                     |                                  |                                   | 111. Yemana portrayer   |

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| 1. Unfounded                     | 37. Narrow                         | 64. Uses a lariat              | 91. Dissipate                 |
| 5. Quick, sharp blow             | waterway                           | 65. Landing pier               | 92. Spend time (with): slang  |
| 9. A dancing sister              | 39. Chesterfield or reefer         | 66. Opinion pieces             | 93. Cooper's slat             |
| 14. Bamboo lover                 | 40. Singer                         | 68. Gave the heave-ho to       | 94. Huff and puff             |
| 19. Bay sprinkled with gray      | Damone                             | 69. Dilutes                    | 96. Woodwind player           |
| 20. Have value                   | 43. Subsides                       | 70. Argument for               | 99. Northern giant            |
| 21. Prove false                  | 45. Drought cure                   | 73. Parsonage                  | 100. Essential                |
| 22. At the top of one's lungs    | 46. Latte holders                  | 74. Pitched item               | 101. Small pellets            |
| 23. Narrow-waisted wasp: 2 wds.  | 47. Decorticate                    | 75. Southern side dish         | 104. Step-by-step demo:       |
| 25. Stay at hand: 2 wds. (slang) | 48. Henry VIII's sixth             | 76. Hold the interest of       | hyph. wd.                     |
| 27. Month of Sundays             | 49. Mom and pop's downfall: 2 wds. | 77. 10 Downing Street resident | 106. Office diagram: 2 wds.   |
| 28. Judge                        | 52. Like accounting pads           | 78. Teen's milieu: 2 wds.      | 108. Lawn implement           |
| 29. Chophouse order              | 53. Regarding: 2 wds.              | 81. Son of Jacob               | 109. Broadway heroine         |
| 30. Shutterbug's accessories     | 54. Balcony banister               | 82. Benevolent brothers        | 110. Pointillist's purchases  |
| 31. Gangster's gal: slang        | 55. Clears (of)                    | 83. London market lineups      | 111. Pervasive atmosphere     |
| 32. Greenhouse material          | 56. Sheepish?                      | 84. Bolster                    | 112. Darling                  |
| 33. Great source of supply       | 57. Be a prophet                   | 85. Undo                       | 113. Plays in the kiddie pool |
| 34. Summoning device             | 58. Ratchet-wheel lever            | 87. Hardy cereal grass         | 114. Smile for the camera     |
|                                  | 59. Besmirches                     | 88. Kept in                    | 115. U-shaped pipe section    |
|                                  | 61. Firmly set                     | 89. Distorts in writing        |                               |
|                                  | 62. Acts the itinerant             |                                |                               |

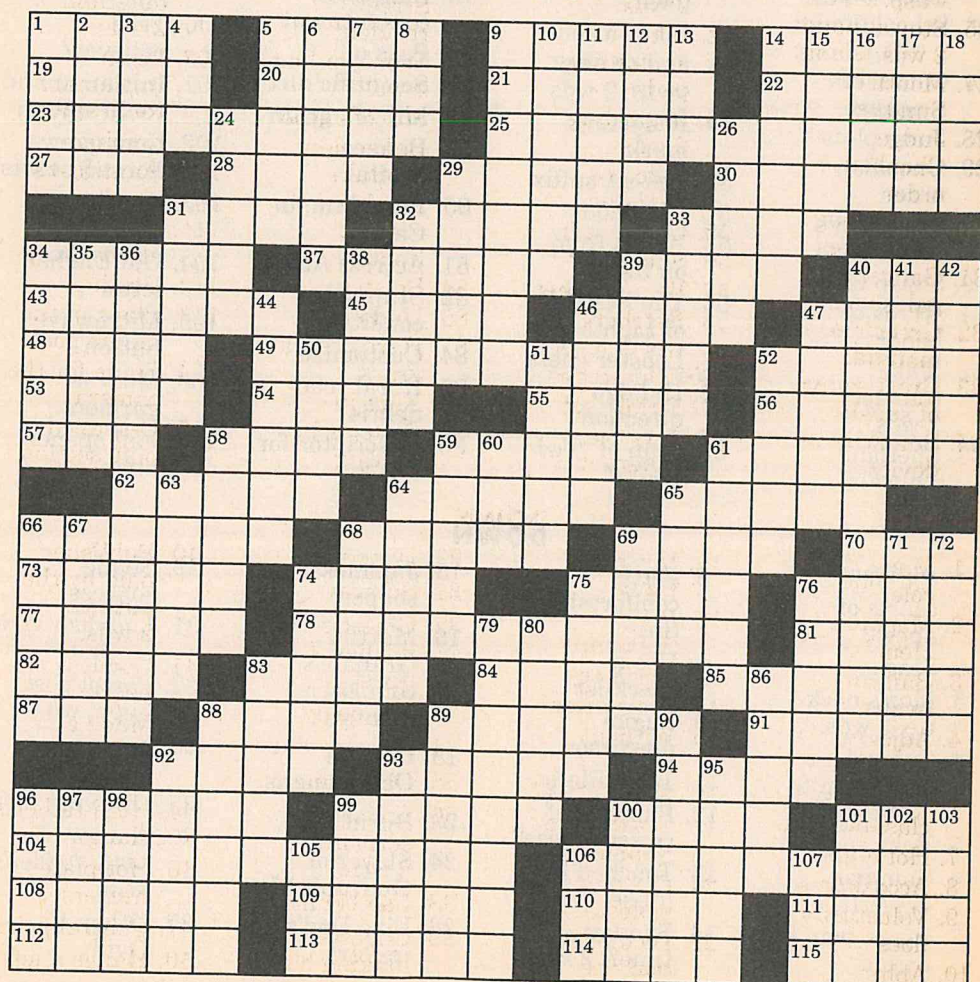
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| 1. Marie Wilson role           | 11. Inventor          | 29. Done in                    | 40. Publisher paid by the author: 2 wds. |
| 2. Magician Henning            | Howe                  | 31. Subway                     | 41. Goddess of peace                     |
| 3. Bail out (water)            | 12. Prep (a stamp)    | 32. Object of a medieval quest | 42. Made a formal surrender              |
| 4. Adjourn                     | 13. Shrill cry        | 33. Is gloomy                  | 44. High-tails it: slang                 |
| 5. Ruthless                    | 14. Progenitor        | 34. Nursery dads               | 46. Hot plate heaters                    |
| 6. Generalized classifications | 15. Without equal     | 35. Degrade                    | 47. Central point                        |
| 7. Hot couple                  | 16. French "we"       | 36. Striped serpent: 2 wds.    | 50. Hangs a left                         |
| 8. According to                | 17. Beach area        | 38. Lag behind                 |  |
| 9. Voluntarily does without    | 18. Supplements       | 39. Cheese-making base         |  |
| 10. Abhor                      | 24. Put on a pedestal |                                |  |
|                                | 26. Dickinson had one |                                |  |



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| 51. Shaped accurately (with "up") | 67. Quick witticism          | 80. Have a hankering for     | 96. Was indebted to       |
| 52. Ransacks                      | 68. False show               | 83. Greene work, "The — Man" | 97. Expressed in greeting |
| 58. The one who gets the bill     | 69. Take over: hyph. wd.     | 86. One with a mortgage      | 98. Gymnast Korbut        |
| 59. Onward                        | 71. Secure firmly            | 88. Dessert-cart treat       | 99. Puerto Rican island   |
| 60. Begin, in poesy               | 72. Suppose                  | 89. Roughly-made shoe        | 100. Muse for Thucydides  |
| 61. Narrate anew                  | 74. Irrational preoccupation | 90. Reels and bobbins        | 101. Becloud              |
| 63. Desert hot spot               | 75. Teen wish-list item      | 92. Peripatetic one          | 102. Screen siren         |
| 64. Peals                         | 76. Malicious exultation     | 93. Substantial              | 103. Simple: slang        |
| 65. Queen of the gods             | 79. Small amounts            | 95. Originated (from)        | 105. Very unfair          |
| 66. Glowing piece                 |                              |                              | 106. Vain man             |
|                                   |                              |                              | 107. Opportune            |

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CROSSWORD  
expert

## "FIGURES OF SPEECH"

by Peggy Devlin

## ACROSS

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| 1. Ring authority                   | 34. Schisms                     | 60. Butter brightener            | 88. More <i>brut</i> ?           |
| 4. Oise adjunct                     | 35. Of emmets                   | 63. Cygnus star                  | 89. "Coppélia" composer          |
| 9. Instrumental Italian?            | 36. Thai coins                  | 64. Most far-reaching            | 92. "Paths of Glory" setting     |
| 14. "Bosh!"                         | 38. Snow leopard                | 68. Causes harm                  | 93. Manatee, to some             |
| 17. Palindromic performance artist? | 39. Fits accurately             | 69. "The Old Wives' Tale" writer | 94. Accepting, if not thrilled   |
| 18. Tin Man's curative              | 40. Courier's return, at times  | 71. Salty directive              | 95. Least of a litter            |
| 19. Attic civil-rights leader       | 43. Wings                       | 73. Comparative ending           | 96. Last possible time: 2 wds.   |
| 20. Midori on ice?                  | 44. Make cutting remarks        | 74. French river                 | 99. Shreveport school: abbr.     |
| 21. Cross shape                     | 45. Guitar output               | 75. Expresses contentment        | 100. True believer?              |
| 22. School group: 2 wds.            | 46. Sardinian town              | 76. Pass off                     | 101. Initiation and confirmation |
| 24. Caucasian language              | 47. Bit of a sen                | 77. Scientific dirt              | 102. Corkscrew-horned beasts     |
| 25. Farm plots                      | 48. Fail to view (evil): 2 wds. | 78. Miller's grain               | 103. Cheshire chimney            |
| 27. Canadian tribes                 | 49. Redacting mark              | 79. Hyksos capital               | 104. Old English letter          |
| 28. Broadway's Bernadette           | 50. Poli-sci suffix             | 80. Seraphim, in Caen            | 105. Microwave button            |
| 30. Sharp blow                      | 51. Luminous                    | 81. Actress Ada                  | 106. Madras garment              |
| 31. Words of honor                  | 53. Words from on high          | 82. Stunned condition            | 107. Fall opener: abbr.          |
| 32. Make rounder: 2 wds.            | 55. The Festival of Lights      | 84. Customize                    |                                  |
| 33. Shetland refusals               | 57. Lobster chela               | 85. Rural road debris            |                                  |
|                                     | 58. Hidalgo direction           | 86. Descriptor for a B-2         |                                  |
|                                     | 59. Joan of "Twin Peaks"        |                                  |                                  |

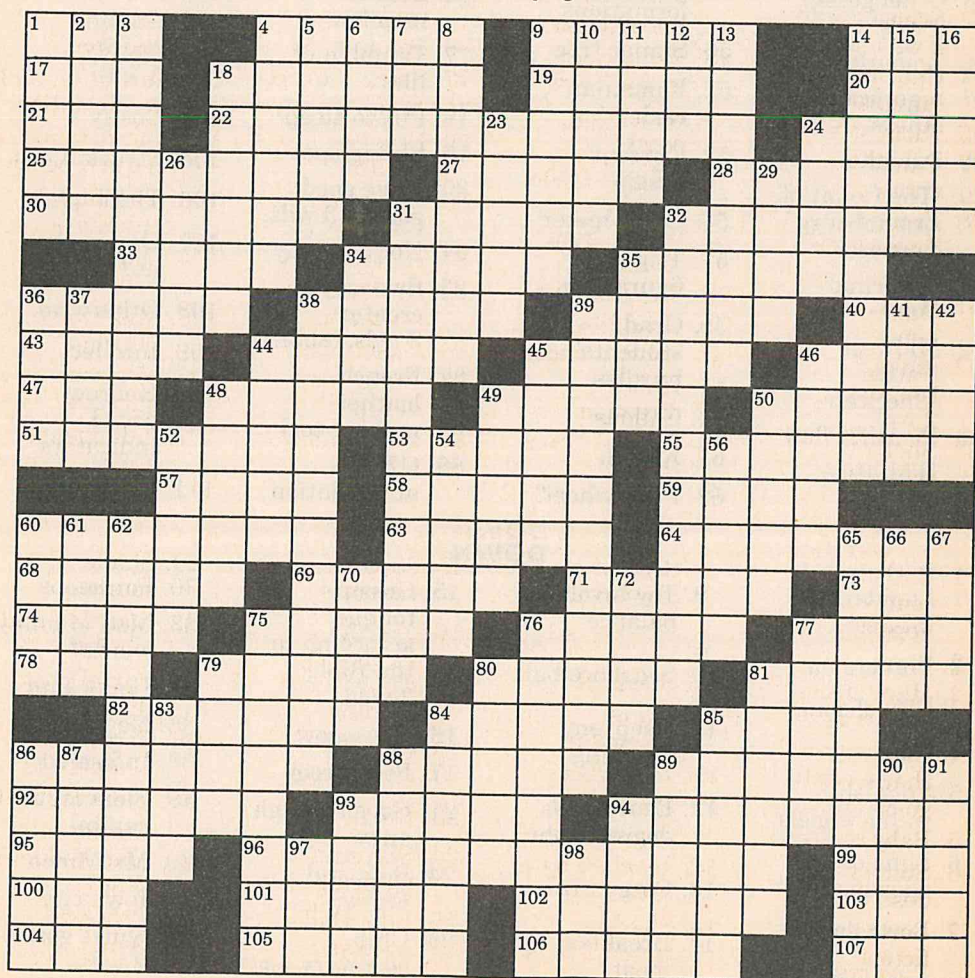
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| 1. Catholic courts of appeal            | 8. Settle comfortably (in)    | 15. Japanese seaport                | 29. Shade sources                 |
| 2. Stage                                | 9. Use a checklist            | 16. Martha Graham's composer-mentor | 31. Ladyfish and machete          |
| 3. Man's neck-tie: 3 wds.               | 10. Fugue precursor           | 18. Certain Oklahomans              | 32. Parcel post: hyph. wd.        |
| 4. Campaigns that seem to go on forever | 11. Toby fillers              | 23. Burnt up                        | 34. Force into Chapter 11         |
| 5. Baby seafood                         | 12. Pinnacle of crosswordese? | 24. Slayer of Gudrun's kin          | 35. Cleaving tool                 |
| 6. Summer desserts                      | 13. Touched by a Muse         | 26. Like Dad's in-laws              | 36. Author of "Jan Vedder's Wife" |
| 7. Bert's twin in fiction               | 14. Shadow time?: 2 wds.      |                                     | 37. Other, to Ovid                |



38. Multipart campaign: 3 wds.  
 39. Sandlot coup: 2 wds. (slang)  
 41. Workers' watchdogs: abbr.  
 42. Indiana Birch  
 44. Paris assembly  
 45. Social grouping  
 46. An imperfect perfect  
 48. Adds zip to  
 49. Reynolds ex
50. About, once  
 52. Claim from Caesar: 2 wds.  
 54. Indian cuckoos  
 56. Lots (of): 2 wds.  
 60. Roman affection  
 61. Not one  
 62. Duffers' watering hole  
 65. Minnesota targets: 2 wds.  
 66. Antitoxins
67. Disney sci-fi film  
 70. Buffalo's lake  
 72. Avoid a crash  
 75. Kin of a 38-Across  
 76. Big deals?  
 77. Odin's clan  
 79. Soft rock  
 80. Not natural  
 81. School supplies  
 83. Talk wildly  
 84. Collar
85. Lead down the garden path  
 86. Mine line  
 87. Turkey twine  
 88. Reef tourist  
 89. Blackmore lass  
 90. Follow  
 91. Perplex  
 93. Bristle  
 94. Yonder, to Ahab  
 97. Caught fire  
 98. Immuno-genetic care: abbr.

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# CROSSWORD expert

## "GOSSIP'S TONGUE"

by Elizabeth Arthur

### ACROSS

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| 1. Yawn                                | 35. Huck Finn, at times         | 63. Ancient Greek district            | 89. Colorful horses          |
| 5. Jaybirdish?                         | 37. Shell out too much          | 64. Fuel gas                          | 90. Urban phenomenon         |
| 10. Thing in the shade?                | 40. Yeggs' shells?              | 66. Administrative: 2 wds.            | 91. Fictional hawk           |
| 14. Annoying sound                     | 43. Gossip addict               | 67. Depressing                        | 94. Dolphin's home           |
| 18. Noted Abba                         | 46. Female of the pasture       | 69. To make, to Marie                 | 95. Mideast honcho           |
| 19. Old manuscript symbols             | 47. Juanita's love              | 70. Be gossipy: 3 wds.                | 96. Minute thorns            |
| 20. Earth tone                         | 48. Successor of Ramses: 2 wds. | 73. Symbol of power                   | 99. Jargon                   |
| 22. Alessandria neighbor               | 49. Sky formations              | 75. Bart's sister                     | 100. Gossips nastily: 5 wds. |
| 23. Cruel gossip: 3 wds.               | 50. Sumac tree                  | 76. Second member                     | 104. Costly                  |
| 26. Embark                             | 51. Romanian cash               | 77. Tambllyn of film                  | 105. Struck down             |
| 27. Significant others                 | 52. Current gossip              | 78. Put to sleep                      | 106. Tickle pink             |
| 28. Submits                            | 53. Cubic meter                 | 79. Skiing spot                       | 107. One in the no?          |
| 29. "The Count of Luxembourg" composer | 54. Trig configurations         | 80. Have good gossip: 3 wds.          | 108. Otherwise               |
| 31. Medicinal plant                    | 55. Grad students' hurdles      | 84. Not as many                       | 109. Intellect               |
| 32. Midwest Native American            | 56. Callous                     | 85. Sweeney's creator: 3 wds. (abbr.) | 110. Hebrew vowel indicators |
| 33. Plentiful flow                     | 61. Kvetch                      | 87. French leather-making tool        | 111. Cozy pad                |
| 34. High time: slang                   | 62. Fifth wheel?                | 88. O'Hare abbreviation               |                              |

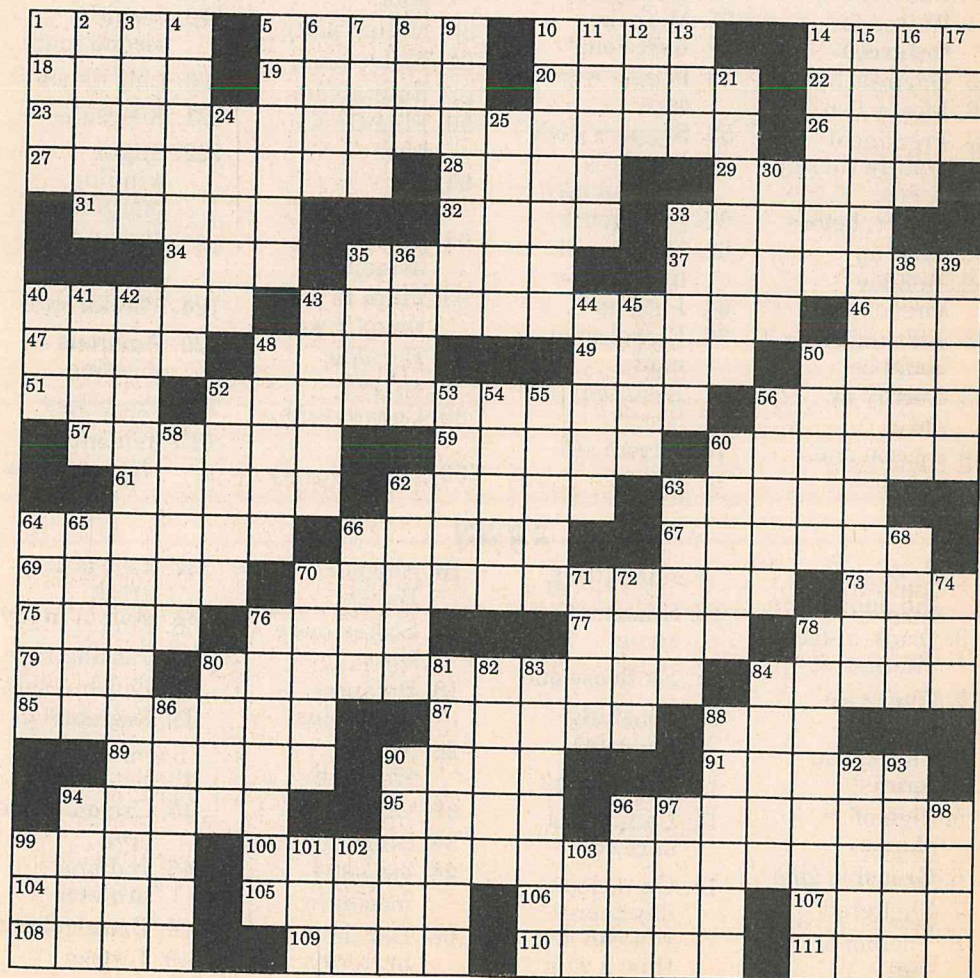
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| 1. Lapidarian interests | 9. Toy involving balance      | 15. Gossip's tongue, according to the Bible: 3 wds. | 30. For keeps            |
| 2. Borders on           | 10. Seashore bait             | 16. Hoosgow   | 33. Man of many words?   |
| 3. City of song         | 11. Keep 'em laughing         | 17. Peony root                                      | 35. Links shot           |
| 4. Risk                 | 12. Executive's degree: abbr. | 21. Goes through anew                               | 36. Neglect              |
| 5. Spanish water wheels | 13. Categorize                | 24. Best and Ferber                                 | 38. Informed             |
| 6. Lane of showbiz      | 14. Breakfast meat            | 25. Club secretary, e.g.                            | 39. Sana is its capital  |
| 7. Low islands          |                               |   | 40. Mr. Mineo            |
| 8. Pipe type            |                               |   | 41. Iowa city            |
|                         |                               |   | 42. Quiet gossip: 2 wds. |



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| 43. Exploit frugally        | 60. Cuts a rug, on the kibbutz | 74. German article            | 88. Dior's trendsetters: hyph. wd. |
| 44. Rudimentary seed        | 62. French elected body        | 76. Lee Majors' major?        | 90. Black buck                     |
| 45. Takes after April 15?   | 63. Explanation words: Latin   | 78. Native of Hamilton        | 92. Without a date                 |
| 48. To-do                   | 64. Concerto key: 2 wds.       | 80. Thickness: abbr.          | 93. Certain amphibians             |
| 50. Courtyards              | 65. Cutaway feature            | 81. English pop-singer Albert | 94. Daily delivery                 |
| 52. Back part               | 66. Genesis son                | 82. Carry away (property)     | 96. Shadowbox                      |
| 53. Cantered                | 68. Time past                  | 83. Levels                    | 97. Party food                     |
| 54. Muse with a lyre        | 70. Leaves in the dust         | 84. Pacific swayer            | 98. Pique                          |
| 55. "Grand Hotel" character | 71. Moran of TV                | 86. Can't stand               | 99. Patinkin role                  |
| 56. More compos mentis      | 72. "You got it!"              |                               | 101. Danube city                   |
| 58. Poet Frank              |                                |                               | 102. Asian language                |
|                             |                                |                               | 103. Rubber tree                   |

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# 30 CROSSWORD expert

## "SEATTLE STORY"

by Alan Olschwang

### ACROSS

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|---|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| 1. Horned viper                           | 39. Armada                            | 72. Power to<br>respire             | 101. Inviolable                         |
| 4. October 31<br>option                   | 41. Swerve                            | 73. Piece of<br>pottery             | 104. Molière play<br>(with "The")       |
| 9. Binge                                  | 42. Event<br>marking                  | 74. Turned grist<br>to meal         | 106. Laborer                            |
| 14. Tiny<br>organism                      | 27-Across's<br>debut there:<br>2 wds. | 75. A way up                        | 107. Retinue                            |
| 19. Absentee's<br>excuse                  | 44. Lacking<br>passion                | 77. <i>Corrida</i><br>victim, often | 108. Ante's<br>receptacle               |
| 20. Horn<br>response                      | 47. Indian<br>nursemaid               | 78. Pail, in Paris                  | 109. Rock star<br>born there:<br>2 wds. |
| 21. Appears, as<br>through a<br>mist      | 51. Sax range                         | 79. Poetic<br>contraction           | 115. Out of the<br>way                  |
| 22. Tender spots                          | 52. Far out                           | 81. Somme<br>season                 | 116. Go wide of                         |
| 23. Actress<br>Charlotte                  | 53. Bishop's<br>residence             | 82. JFK craft:<br>abbr.             | 118. Fuming                             |
| 24. Waited for<br>the green               | 54. Jot                               | 85. Hiding place                    | 119. Jackie's<br>second mate            |
| 25. Gnomes' kin                           | 55. More, in<br>Barcelona             | 86. Bistro hand                     | 120. Line dance                         |
| 26. Fleshy fish                           | 56. Peruse with<br>care               | 88. Equine fare                     | 121. Keepsake                           |
| 27. Prominent<br>feature there:<br>2 wds. | 58. Sapporo sash                      | 90. Flightless<br>bird              | 122. Slight<br>winning<br>margins       |
| 30. Before, before                        | 60. Prepares<br>(the bubbly)          | 91. Ms.<br>Lanchester               | 123. <i>Printemps</i><br>time           |
| 31. Link up                               | 61. Film genre                        | 92. Bailiff's<br>demand             | 124. Patella sites                      |
| 32. Holiday<br>forerunners                | 62. Main trunk<br>line                | 93. Place to sail<br>there: 2 wds.  | 125. Amorous<br>meeting                 |
| 33. All that there<br>could be            | 64. Lifts up                          | 96. Heraldic<br>stripes             | 126. Powerless                          |
| 35. Certify by<br>oath                    | 66. Unwelcome<br>mail                 | 98. Constantine's<br>regent         | 127. Trident-<br>shaped letter          |
| 36. Lesson one,<br>in music               | 67. Resulted<br>(from)                | 100. Hurts deeply                   |   |
|   | 70. Sitcom set<br>there               |                                     |   |

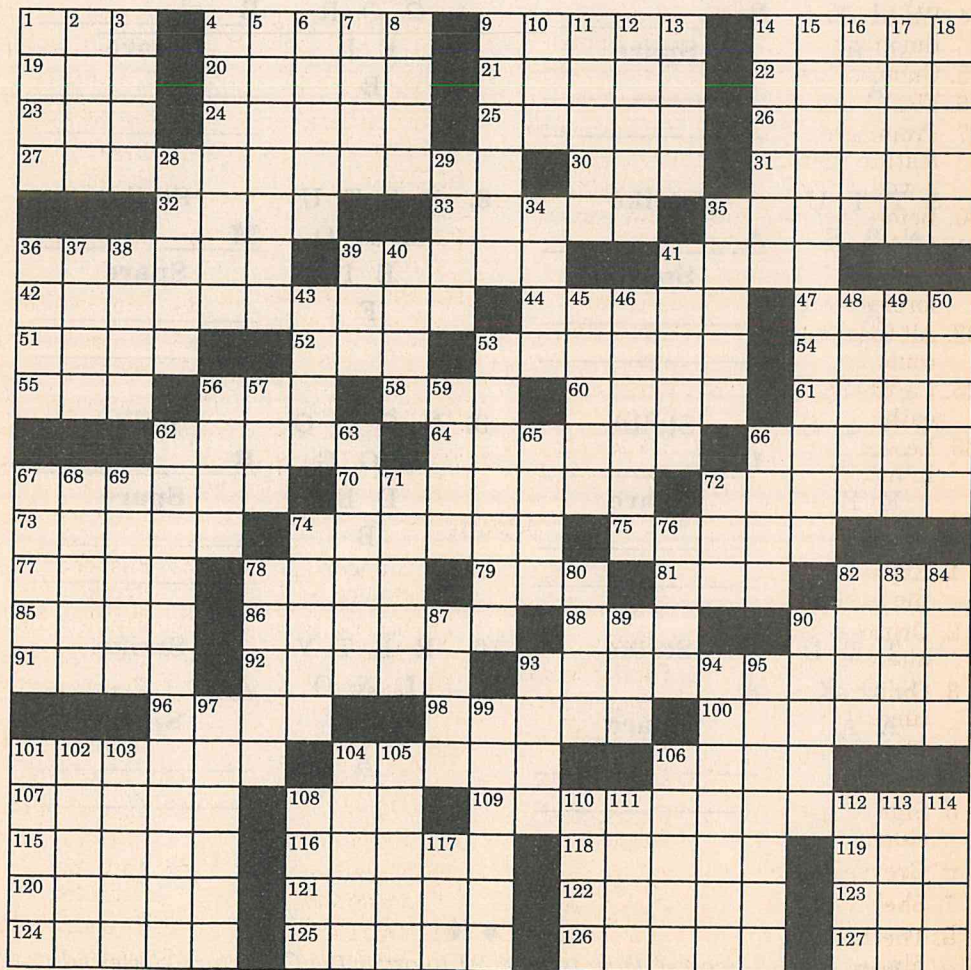
### DOWN

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|---------------------------------|---|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Exposes to<br>the public     | 9. Pipe fitting   | 16. Slugger<br>Banks       | 37. Fast-food<br>drink    |
| 2. Drink-in-face<br>alternative | 10. Seasoned rep:<br>slang                                  | 17. Scores more<br>than    | 38. Fine studies          |
| 3. Guilty, at<br>times          | 11. Footloose one   | 18. Balance-<br>sheet plus | 39. Passing rage          |
| 4. Played the<br>pirate         | 12. Polishing<br>material                                   | 28. Yo Yo's<br>treasure    | 40. Beach resort          |
| 5. Sign of<br>shame             | 13. Latin being   | 29. Ogle                   | 41. Destructive<br>habits |
| 6. Grenoble gals                | 14. Canny and<br>shrewd                                     | 34. Singer James           | 43. Set of type           |
| 7. Sheltered                    | 15. On a clear<br>day there,<br>you can see<br>this: 2 wds. | 35. Dreaded<br>mosquito    | 45. Cream of the<br>crop  |
| 8. Thelma of<br>film            |   | 36. Did the<br>butterfly   | 46. Indiana<br>athletes   |
|                                 |   |                            | 48. Bread: slang          |
|                                 |   |                            | 49. Listing               |



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|--|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 50. Austere                            | 69. Bombay wraps          | 89. Distress with time | 104. Relocation expert         |
| 53. Light beer                         | 71. Regular course        | 90. Canonlike ditty    | 105. Landing site for 97-Down  |
| 56. Certain Eli                        | 72. Jockey's prop         | 93. Arab fairy         | 106. Aspect                    |
| 57. California fort                    | 74. Rack-and-pinion items | 94. Hi-fi component    | 108. Saucy                     |
| 59. Gentleman caller                   | 76. Beret filler          | 95. Next in time       | 110. Skirt style               |
| 62. Fremont troll's home there; 2 wds. | 78. Dubbing tool          | 97. Virgil's hero      | 111. Pistol: slang             |
| 63. Apprehensive                       | 80. Sentence subject      | 99. See 82-Down        | 112. Freeway egress            |
| 65. Page or squire                     | 82. Ostracize             | 101. Chip collection   | 113. Allen and Gershwin        |
| 66. Party cheese                       | 83. Thrill: slang         | 102. Hot crime         | 114. Bad luck symbol for Nero? |
| 67. Agave fiber                        | 84. Young boys            | 103. Michael of film   | 117. Lower-world god           |
| 68. Group of groupers                  | 87. Strife personified    |                        |                                |

**Solution is on page 123**



# BOWL-A-SCORE CHALLENGER

In our bowling game, a strike (worth 20 points) is made by using all the letters in a group to form a 10-letter word. The first letter of each strike is shown. A spare (worth 10 points) is made by using all the letters to form two words. A spare may not be formed by splitting the strike word in two (for example, the strike word "FORECASTER" cannot be split into the spare "FORE" and "CASTER"). Proper nouns may not be used. A perfect score is 300 points.

The words we formed are on page 127.

1. S N E D      Strike  
I U O      **Q** \_\_\_\_\_  
Q T      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
E      \_\_\_\_\_

2. O O R T      Strike  
E I N      **D** \_\_\_\_\_  
C D      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
A      \_\_\_\_\_

3. L M S T      Strike  
H I K      **B** \_\_\_\_\_  
C B      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
A      \_\_\_\_\_

4. S S T U      Strike  
O O R      **B** \_\_\_\_\_  
E I      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
B      \_\_\_\_\_

5. S T T U      Strike  
N S S      **A** \_\_\_\_\_  
E E      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
A      \_\_\_\_\_

6. R S T U      Strike  
M N O      **M** \_\_\_\_\_  
E I      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
F      \_\_\_\_\_

7. N N S S      Strike  
I I L      **I** \_\_\_\_\_  
E E      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
B      \_\_\_\_\_

8. N O O O      Strike  
L G G      **B** \_\_\_\_\_  
D E      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
B      \_\_\_\_\_

9. S T T U      Strike  
S O R      **A** \_\_\_\_\_  
A A      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
N      \_\_\_\_\_

10. R R T Y      Strike  
L N O      **A** \_\_\_\_\_  
A G      Spare \_\_\_\_\_  
A      \_\_\_\_\_



Want more Bowl-A-Scores? Turn to page 21 to order the Collector's Series edition!



# TOUCH AND GO

by Henry Kroger

For this puzzle, you are to combine a word and a letter that TOUCH, AND GO about anagramming them to form a new everyday word. If you can form 15 new words by using every word and letter in the diagram below exactly once, you will earn a perfect score. The boxes of the letter and word you combine must be adjacent either horizontally or vertically. For example, we have started you off by combining ZEAL and G to form GLAZE. CREED, then, must be combined with either E or U, and N must be combined with PRICE, LEADER, or LEVEE. Words beginning with a capital letter and present-tense verbs ending in S (such as SINGS) are not allowed, and neither are plural, slang, obsolete, hyphenated, archaic, foreign, dialect, and poetic words. SCORING: Give yourself one point for every word you form. 10 or 11 points is average; 12 or 13 is good; and 14 or 15 is outstanding!

Answer is on page 129.

PAIR	K	GIANT	R	CAGE
D	NORTH	O	SLIPPER	I
READY	W	PRICE	U	ROTUNDA
M	LEADER	N	ZEAL	F
RELIEVE	X	LEVEE	G	CORE
L	TOURISM	E	CREED	U

1. PAIR + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
2. GIANT + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
3. CAGE + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
4. NORTH + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
5. SLIPPER + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
6. READY + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
7. PRICE + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
8. ROTUNDA + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
9. LEADER + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
10. ZEAL + G = GLAZE
11. RELIEVE + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
12. LEVEE + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
13. CORE + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
14. TOURISM + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_
15. CREED + \_ = \_\_\_\_\_



# 8 DIAGRAMLESS challenger

by Carol Lachance

In this Challenger Diagramless, we have omitted such helps as "2 wds.," "hyph. wd.," and "slang"; but in the spirit of fair play, all abbreviations and foreign words are indicated. This Diagramless is 21 boxes wide by 21 boxes deep. If you want help getting started, the starting box is listed on page 130.

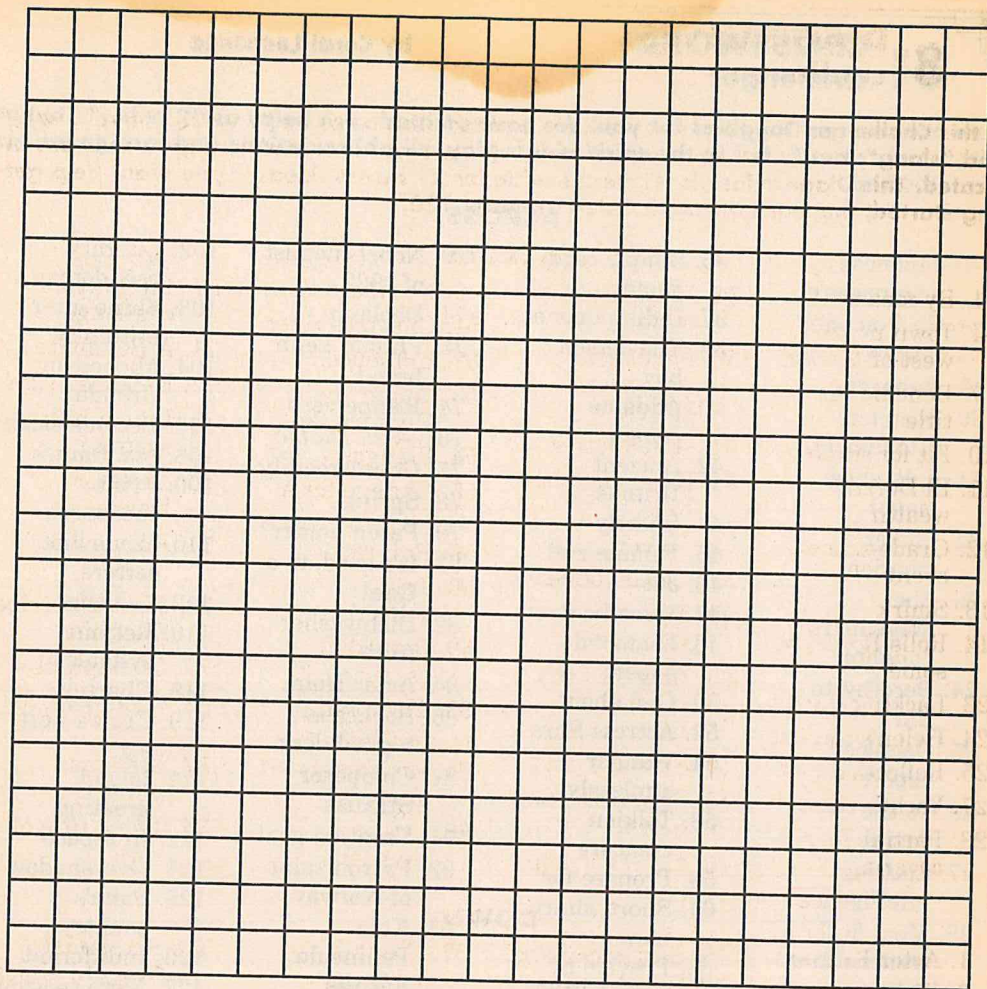
## ACROSS

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|------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. By means of               | 29. Music for four pairs           | 48. Not more than          | 67. Intellectual challenge  |
| 4. Town north-west of Madrid | 30. Popular composer Harold        | 51. Chartres river         | 71. A Belafonte             |
| 7. Benedictine title         | 31. Greek letter                   | 52. Influence              | 72. Balanced sign           |
| 10. Fit for singing          | 34. Heads for the hills            | 53. Tommy of Olympic fame  | 73. Like a hi-fi system     |
| 11. El Dorado wealth         | 35. Movie                          | 54. Flanges                | 76. Director Kazan          |
| 12. Grade-school event       | 37. Cattle fodder                  | 55. Change for a fin       | 77. Purview of Mars         |
| 13. Smirk                    | 38. Sign of summer                 | 56. Rub raw                | 78. Western scribe Buntline |
| 14. Rolls Royce, to some     | 39. Blessed with requisite talents | 58. Trivia collection      | 79. <i>Ecole</i> pupil      |
| 23. Lacking clarity          | 41. Sidereal unit                  | 59. Remedial teacher       | 82. Cochineal, for one      |
| 24. Helen's consort          | 42. Shore-scouring hawk            | 63. Thespian Verdugo       | 83. Staircase pillar        |
| 25. Reflection               | 46. Colander, e.g.                 | 64. African-styled garment | 84. Tunis title of yore     |
| 27. Yacht's roost            |                                    | 66. Dollar divisions       |                             |
| 28. Partial floor covering   |                                    |                            |                             |

## DOWN

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|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Actor Kilmer                   | 18. Singer Sumac             | 37. Chinese beverage    | 63. She pined away to almost nothing |
| 2. Wall climber                   | 19. She does the impossible  | 40. Welsh appellation   | 64. Genetic material: abbr.          |
| 3. Shuttle plane                  | 20. Kin, in Dixie            | 43. Archeologist's find | 65. Indignation                      |
| 5. Some are white                 | 21. Unwritten exam           | 44. Humorist Bombeck    | 67. Tobacconist's concoction         |
| 6. Dogfight victors               | 22. Traditional wisdom       | 45. "Absolutely!"       | 68. Indiana poet                     |
| 7. Genoese admiral and statesman  | 23. Source of Edenic apparel | 47. One of Argus's many | 69. Put up with                      |
| 8. Rubber gasket                  | 26. Streak, as of luck       | 49. Den furnishings     | 70. Writer Levin                     |
| 9. Spanish card game              | 27. Tree trunks              | 50. Curling target      | 71. Sharp                            |
| 13. Herd of whales                | 31. Tug alarm                | 56. Spotless            | 74. Sassoon contemporary             |
| 14. "Star Trek" or "Flash Gordon" | 32. Hooded flower            | 57. Capetian king       | 75. Deficient in color               |
| 15. Penchant (for)                | 33. Lacking passion          | 59. Create Alençon      | 80. Churchillian gesture             |
| 16. Stellar ovine                 | 34. Alice's coworker         | 60. Manipulates         | 81. English cathedral city           |
| 17. Light coloration              | 35. Ballet step              | 61. <i>Aquel</i>        |                                      |
|                                   | 36. Sacred Nile denizen      | 62. Compiègne's river   |                                      |





Solution is on page 123



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# 31 CROSSWORD challenger

by Carol Lachance

Here are two real toughies for you. We have omitted such helps as "2 wds.," "hyph. wd.," and "slang"; but in the spirit of fair play, all abbreviations and foreign words are indicated.

## ACROSS

- |                                |                           |                            |                            |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Japanese acupressure        | 35. Simple card game      | 70. Nobel chemist of 1922  | 102. Literary pseudonym    |
| 8. Rest on one's laurels       | 37. Indian queen          | 71. Declaim                | 103. Shine intermittently  |
| 13. Rubs off                   | 38. The Jetson boy        | 73. Phnom Penh bread       | 104. Michele or Brenda     |
| 20. Seaplane attachment        | 40. Addams cousin         | 74. Recipe verb            | 105. Become sickly         |
| 21. Talk-show mogul            | 42. Ancient Britons       | 76. — <i>du Diable</i>     | 108. Ms. Raines            |
| 22. Stoker creation            | 44. Shortly               | 77. Go unsteadily          | 109. Print measures        |
| 23. Abel Magwitch's daughter   | 45. Female ruff           | 78. Spring                 | 110. Some liner letters    |
| 24. Dorothy, to Em             | 46. Jot                   | 79. Paten holder?          | 112. — Vader               |
| 25. Oenology expert            | 47. Volcanic dust         | 81. It's good, to a Gaul   | 116. Refrain syllables     |
| 26. To the — degree            | 48. Diamond expert        | 82. Dishwasher froth       | 118. Charter               |
| 27. Lacking intelligence       | 50. Gad about             | 84. Actor Holm             | 119. Crow's-nest, e.g.     |
| 28. Meal fit for a trencherman | 53. Actress Sara          | 85. Bookcase-topped desk   | 121. Island greeting       |
| 29. Person                     | 54. Wander aimlessly      | 87. Composer Strauss       | 122. In repose             |
| 30. Rakish sort                | 58. Tolkien creature      | 91. Vacation goal          | 124. Overshadow            |
| 31. Practice girth control     | 59. Prepare for           | 92. Patron saint of Norway | 125. Sana's country        |
| 33. Seedy saloon               | 64. Short, sharp blow     | 93. Kola Peninsula natives | 126. Indifferent           |
|                                | 65. Provide no more water | 98. Historic intervals     | 127. More spacious         |
|                                | 67. Italian monk          | 99. Culpability            | 128. Help for a hound      |
|                                | 68. Influential hub group | 101. "Oh my gosh!"         | 129. Related rulers' reign |
|                                | 69. Needle case           |                            |                            |

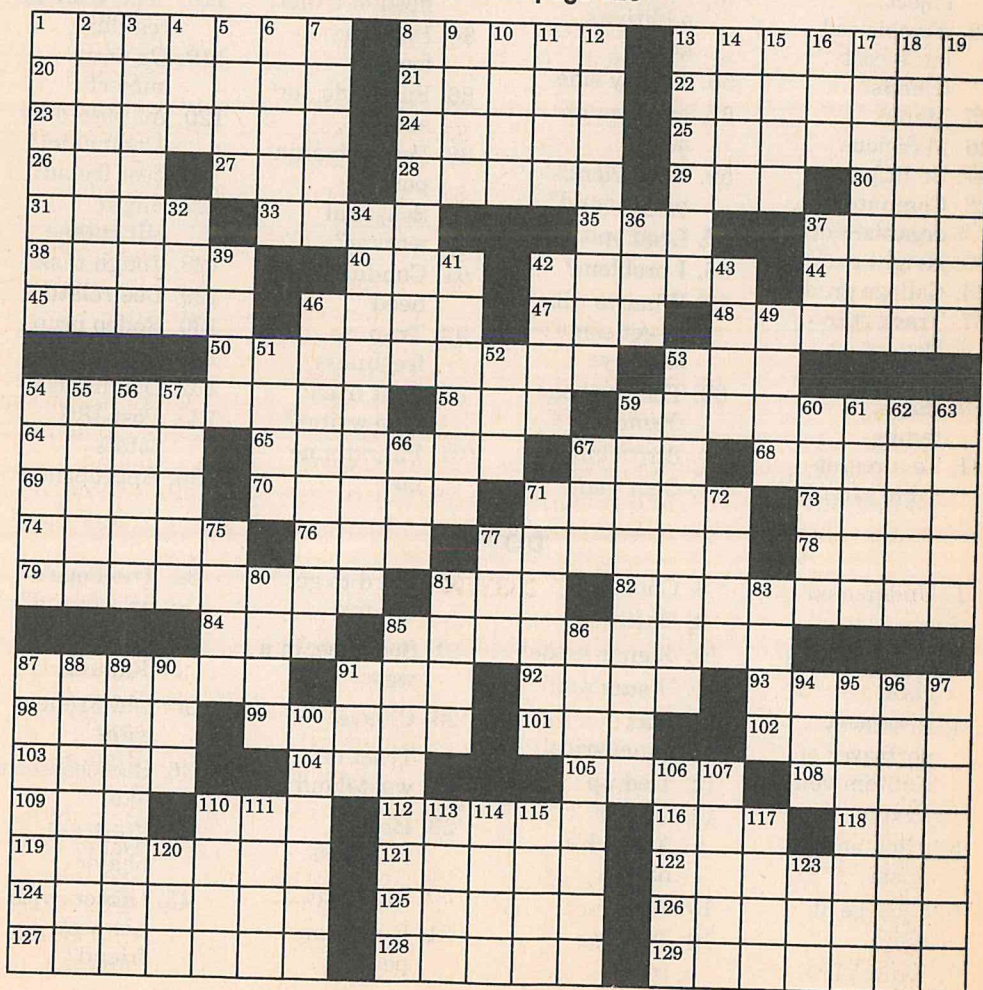
## DOWN

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|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. High-rolling type | 9. Mayberry lad         | 17. King murdered by Macbeth | 37. Have a sit-down          |
| 2. Antagonistic      | 10. Neck of the woods   | 18. Wife of King Louis VII   | 39. Safecracker              |
| 3. Plugging away     | 11. Anatomical pouches  | 19. Canned fishie            | 41. Brit's rest stop?        |
| 4. Devoured          | 12. Rock-and-roll dance | 32. Good, to a Sabra         | 42. Breathe noisily          |
| 5. Was a squealer    | 13. Refer to            | 34. In a destructive manner  | 43. Be right for             |
| 6. Dependable        | 14. Shipboard slammer   | 36. Ludwig's lament          | 46. David Blaine's specialty |
| 7. Delaware tribe    | 15. Tolloed             |                              | 49. Artist Chagall           |
| 8. Parade shower     | 16. Role-play           |                              | 51. City on the Yamuna       |



52. Even one  
53. Ground-beef dish  
54. Queen who visited Solomon  
55. Utter  
56. Awaken suddenly  
57. Japanese dog  
59. Back a prospector  
60. English noblemen  
61. Avignon farewell  
62. Fear intensely
63. Pound sounds  
66. Warren mama  
67. Watch pocket  
71. Norma Jean Baker  
72. Pay attention to  
75. Bard's Emerald Isle  
77. Ad —  
80. Thunder noise  
81. Proclivity  
83. TV marine  
85. Post-Christmas times
86. Republican Party emblem  
87. Gem specialist  
88. Venezuelan river  
89. Harrison Ford role  
90. Invite  
91. Bond  
94. Rathskeller order  
95. Colonnade supports  
96. Smelly critter  
97. Majestic  
100. Former Irish province
106. Mariehamn's archipelago  
107. Actress Sagal  
110. Pueblo Indian  
111. Source of inspiration  
113. A Baldwin  
114. Red winter apple  
115. Next in order  
117. Made like Rumpelstiltskin  
120. Ms. Basinger  
123. A letter from Attica

Solution is on page 123





# 32 CROSSWORD challenger

## "BEST FRIENDS"

by Merl Reagle

### ACROSS

- |   |   |  |  |
|---|---|--|--|
| 1. Tax audit need                             | 42. Violinist<br>Zimbalist or<br>his son    | 72. Name for a<br>best friend's<br>deli? | 102. Arledge of<br>ABC                         |
| 6. Pipe cleaner's<br>target?                  | 44. A party to                              | 75. Watson topic,<br>for short           | 103. Holiday time                              |
| 10. Plant equiva-<br>lent of blood<br>vessels | 46. Races between<br>best friends?          | 76. Pre-coup<br>letters                  | 104. Powers that<br>be                         |
| 15. Chew the fat                              | 50. "Honor Thy<br>Father"<br>author         | 77. Mr. Tiant                            | 106. Actor Holm                                |
| 18. Lie in store                              | 52. It meets you<br>head-on                 | 78. Sty entree                           | 107. Heinous<br>behavior                       |
| 19. Faith<br>follower?                        | 53. Letter<br>opener?                       | 79. Queen of<br>crosswords?              | 108. John Reed<br>biopic                       |
| 20. A totally<br>awesome Ted!                 | 54. Martini<br>additive's<br>genus          | 80. Jam<br>ingredient?                   | 110. Lorelei types                             |
| 21. Widely hailed<br>object?                  | 56. Turkey side                             | 81. Best friend in<br>need of a diet?    | 112. Follow                                    |
| 22. Aerobicized<br>one's best<br>friends?     | 57. Improve an<br>atlas                     | 84. Heraldry<br>focus                    | 116. Poetic<br>contraction                     |
| 25. Manic                                     | 59. Best friends'<br>playground?            | 86. Funky do, for<br>short               | 118. "The Waltons"<br>regular                  |
| 26. Malicious                                 | 63. Lead spitter                            | 88. Pennsylvania<br>port                 | 119. Debussy<br>subject                        |
| 27. Be litigious                              | 65. I problem?                              | 89. Seasonal<br>worker?                  | 120. Ad placed by<br>a nomadic<br>best friend? |
| 28. Computer<br>organization?                 | 67. What to take<br>to get some<br>shut-eye | 91. Conductor's<br>need                  | 127. Slight<br>advantage                       |
| 30. Height gauge                              | 69. They've been<br>framed!                 | 92. Trap, as<br>freshness                | 128. Tough tasks                               |
| 34. College grade                             | 70. Bird's bill                             | 95. Best friend<br>who writes?           | 129. Bee relative                              |
| 37. Track star<br>Devers                      | 71. Cent gent                               | 101. Palindrome<br>end                   | 130. Rodeo prop                                |
| 38. Ultimate                                  |   |  | 131. Attract                                   |
| 39. Rams, to<br>lambs                         |   |  | 132. Bed habit?                                |
| 41. To a regret-<br>table extent              |   |  | 133. Post-IRS<br>totals                        |
|   |   |  | 134. Appropriate                               |

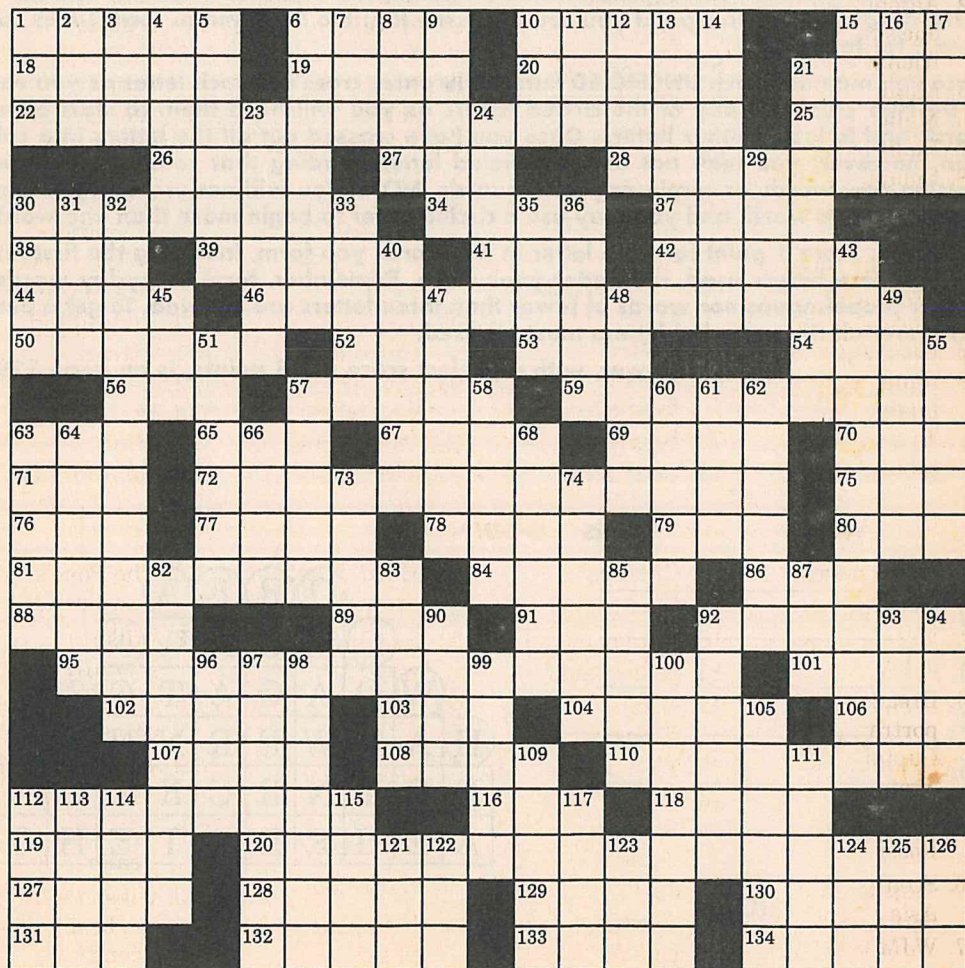
### DOWN

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|---|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| 1. Understood                                       | 8. Chooses                       | 17. Hard to get<br>around  | 32. The Pope's<br>best friend?         |
| 2. Rare bill  | 9. Outfit                        | 21. Socialize, in a<br>way | 33. Milk, to<br>Juanita                |
| 3. Nasser's land:<br>abbr.                          | 10. Jaguar model                 | 23. Cleave                 | 35. Old French<br>coins                |
| 4. Broadway<br>portrayer of<br>Captain von<br>Trapp | 11. "I sure am!"                 | 24. Tract of<br>wasteland  | 36. Booooooooooom-<br>like             |
| 5. Allen and<br>Rossi                               | 12. Wax<br>panegyric             | 29. Hoity-<br>toityness    | 40. Spiritual<br>healer                |
| 6. Scourge of<br>Asia                               | 13. Tied up                      | 30. Agitation              | 43. Gibson with<br>his best<br>friend? |
| 7. WJM VIP  | 14. One of<br>Atatürk's<br>names | 31. European<br>peak       |  |
|   | 15. Joe                          |                            |  |
|   | 16. Turning<br>point?            |                            |  |



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|--|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| 45. Teachers' group: abbr.             | 62. Beats the throw to first | 90. Object of worship?                     | 111. Jeanne of "State Fair"   |
| 47. Positions                          | 63. Canadian peninsula       | 92. Sonnet section                         | 112. Some                     |
| 48. Pal, in "A Clockwork Orange" lingo | 64. Take in                  | 93. Construction support                   | 113. Board groove             |
| 49. Serena's sis                       | 66. Increase                 | 94. Martin and Grey                        | 114. Author's award           |
| 51. Odoriferous                        | 68. "But will it play in —?" | 96. Film genre                             | 115. Do a Groucho             |
| 55. Matt Groening character            | 73. Popped the question?     | 97. Strengthens                            | 117. Ready to be chowed down  |
| 57. "Chicago" role                     | 74. Poise                    | 98. Soothing                               | 121. Shade                    |
| 58. First name in art                  | 82. Erstwhile illuminant     | 99. Tempted                                | 122. Snake in the grass?      |
| 60. Causes trouble                     | 83. Fuddy-duddy?             | 100. Result of a poor conditioner, perhaps | 123. Illuminated              |
| 61. Peaceful spot                      | 85. Harden                   | 105. Food fish                             | 124. It'll get you moving     |
|  | 87. She played Edna Garrett  | 109. Attach                                | 125. Time when Paris sizzles? |
|  |                              |  | 126. Too easygoing            |

**Solution is on page 123**



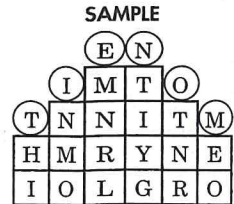
# LETTER CHOICE

by Henry Kroger

The object of Letter Choice is to use all the letters (except those circled) in the diagram below in spelling out seven everyday words of three or more letters.

**TO SOLVE:** Each word you form **MUST** begin with one of the circled letters heading the columns. The second letter of the word must be from the column headed by the circled letter with which you began the word. The third letter must be chosen from a column **HEADED BY THE SAME LETTER USED AS THE SECOND LETTER of your word.** Continue selecting letters in this fashion. Not all the letters in the diagram have a corresponding circled letter heading a column. Therefore, if you pick a letter that does not head a column, you cannot continue forming that word.

For example: Notice how the word **MONTH** can be formed in the sample diagram. Starting with the circled **M** at the top of the sixth column, find the **O** in that column. Then locate the **N** in the column headed by the **O**, the **T** in the column headed by **N**, and the **H** in the **T** column. Because there is no column headed by the letter **H**, you can go no further (you could not form the word "monthly," for example).



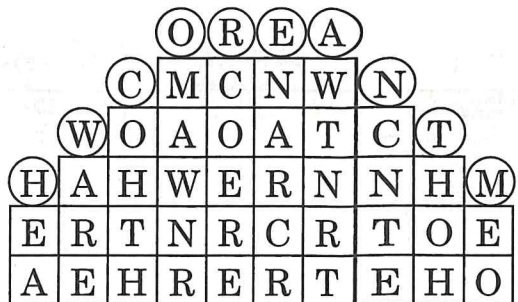
You do not have to keep going until you come to a letter that does not head a column; you may stop at any point. For instance, you could form the word **TIME** (starting with the circled **T**, finding the **I** in the **T** column, the **M** in the **I** column, and the **E** in the **M** column). At this point you could use the **R** in the **E** column to form **TIMER**, or save it for later use.

Since you may use each **UNCIRCLED** letter only once, cross out each letter as you use it. Do **NOT** cross out any of the circled letters as you will need them to start other words and to locate other letters. Once you have crossed out all the letters in a column, however, you may not use the circled letter heading that column for either starting new words or continuing other words. **NOTE:** You will not use every circled letter to start a word, and you may use a circled letter to begin more than one word.

**TO SCORE:** Score 1 point for each letter in the words you form, including the first letter. The more letters used, the better your score. Remember, form everyday words; neither proper nouns nor words of fewer than three letters are allowed. To get a perfect score, all the uncircled letters must be used.

Our answer, with a perfect score of 45 points, is on page 129.

	Words	Points
1.	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____
6.	_____	_____
7.	_____	_____
	<b>TOTAL</b>	_____





### CROSSWORD 1

	P	O	P		C	A	P		S	A	G			
S	A	N	E		O	D	E		T	I	L	T		
M	A	L	E	S		R	O	T		A	D	O	R	E
A	G	E		T	I	N		S	A	T		B	U	N
P	A	S	S	E	D			L	E	A	S	E	D	
			T	R	O	T		C	A	S	T			
P	L	A	Y		L	O	S	E	S		E	V	I	L
A	I	R			K	E	N			A	D	E		
L	E	T	S		H	E	A	T	S		S	N	A	G
		A	M	E	N		S	T	E	P				
S	P	I	D	E	R			A	L	A	S	K	A	
O	L	D		N	O	D		O	R	E		T	E	N
B	O	A	R	D		R	A	P		C	A	R	E	D
T	H	E	E		A	L	E		T	R	A	P		
O	D	D		G	I	N		S	E	W				

### CROSSWORD 2

T	I	P		C	H	O	I	R		S	L	I	D	
A	C	E		R	O	U	T	E		W	A	F	E	R
N	E	A	R	E	S	T		P	A	I	D		P	A
		A	P	T		T	E	R	M		L	O	G	
S	L	A	T	E		W	E	A	K		M	A	T	S
N	A	P	E		P	A	N	T		D	A	M		
A	B	E		H	O	R	N		G	A	M	B	L	E
K	O		M	I	N	N	E	S	O	T	A		E	N
E	R	M	I	N	E		S	H	O	E		C	A	T
	A	N	T		U	S	E	D		W	A	V	E	
S	L	I	T		F	R	E	D		P	A	P	E	R
O	I	L		W	A	G	E		C	A	N			
O	K		L	A	N	E		B	A	N	D	I	T	S
N	E	W	E	R		N	O	O	S	E		M	O	O
N	E	T	S		T	R	O	T	S		P	E	W	

### CROSSWORD 3

R	A	M		A	R	T				C	O	P			
E	G	O		R	U	N				P	O	W	E	R	
D	E	N	T	I	S	T			P	L	A	N	N	E	D
	S	E	A	T		S	O	U	L		D	A	Y		
M	A	T	E		Y	E	A	R	S		W	A	D	E	
O	P	E	N	S		L	I	E		P	I	N	S		
P	E	R		T	O	L	L		L	O	S	T			
			T	I	N	A		B	A	K	E				
			T	A	L	E		W	I	D	E		T	A	B
	S	O	I	L		P	A	T		D	R	I	V	E	
O	P	A	L		W	O	V	E	N		I	C	E	D	
W	A	S		G	E	N	E		O	I	N	K			
E	N	T	E	R	E	D		B	O	R	D	E	R	S	
S	E	W	E	D		U	S	A		T	I	E			
D	E	W			T	E	N		S	P	A				

### CROSSWORD 4

T	A	P		S	P	A	I	N		R	A	T	E	D	
O	N	E		P	A	S	T	A		A	D	O	R	E	
E	N	G	L	I	S	H		R	E	N	O		R	N	
			A	R	T		D	R	A	G		P	O	T	
S	P	I	N	E		P	O	O	R		H	E	R	S	
H	E	R	D		F	L	O	W		F	U	R			
A	T	E		D	E	E	R		H	A	M	M	E	R	
M	E		A	R	E	A		W	A	S	P		V	A	
E	R	O	D	E	D		M	A	L	T		P	I	N	
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P	I	L	E	S		N	E	E	D	S		W	O	E	
S	E	A	L	S		T	R	A	S	H		O	W	N	

### CROSSWORD 6

S	P	A	R	E		S	T	O	P		S	A	F	E	
T	O	T	A	L		T	O	D	O		P	R	A	Y	
A	L	O	N	E		O	W	E	S		R	I	D	E	
G	E	M		V	A	N	S		S	L	I	D	E	S	
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### CROSSWORD 7

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### CROSSWORD 9

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### CROSSWORD 10

R	O	M	P		C	A	T		C	H	A	T			
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### BIBLE CROSSWORD (11)

S	N	O	W		B	E	N	T		A	M	E	N		
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W	E	N	T	A		F	E	E	T		S	E	N	D	
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L	E	A	D		B	R	E	A	D		D	O	T	E	
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### CROSSWORD 13

C	L	A	M		B	A	S	H		S	C	R	A	M	
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I	G	O	R		B	R	A	G		O	R	G	A	N	
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			Y	E	S		B	E	N		H	U	B		
A	D	D	E		S	O	Y		R	I	D	E			
G	R	E	E	N	E	R	P	A	S	T	U	R	E	S	
R	O	L	L		D	A	Y		A	N					



### MISPRINT CROSSWORD (17)

D	R	A	M	P	A	R	E	D	S	C	A	B
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A	L	O	E	T	A	P	E	S	R	A	N	D
D	I	O	R	E	L	I	T	E	R	I	N	C
S	E	T	S	D	I	N	A	R	P	E	E	N

### CROSSWORD 18

B	A	K	E	R	N	E	L	L	S	A	N	D
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T	O	W	I	T	R	I	M	S	H	I	L	L
K	I	T	A	N	D	C	A	B	O	O	D	L
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### CROSSWORD 19

S	A	G	G	E	D	B	O	A	S	T		
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A	C	O	R	N	S	D	R	A	K	E		
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### CROSSWORD 21

F	L	A	G	C	A	R	D	S	I	L	A	S
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### CROSSWORD 22

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### PUNANAGRAMS CROSSWORD (23)

T	R	I	P	L	E	S	E	P	A	L	S	
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### CROSSWORD 24

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### DIAGRAMLESS 1

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### DIAGRAMLESS 2

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### DIAGRAMLESS 3

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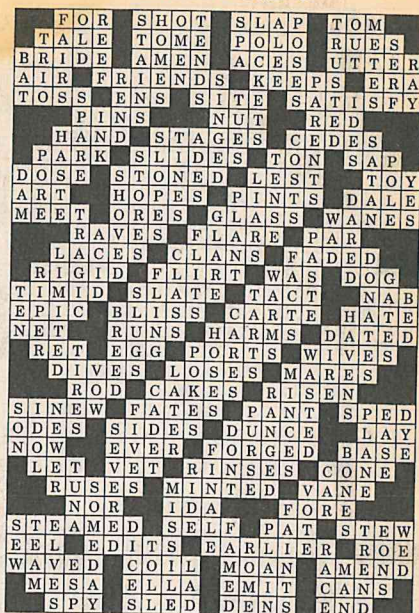
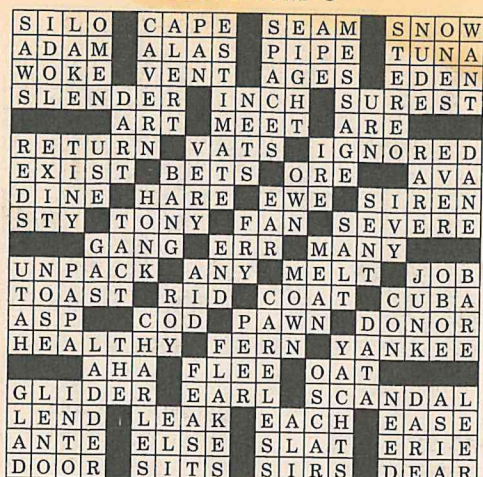
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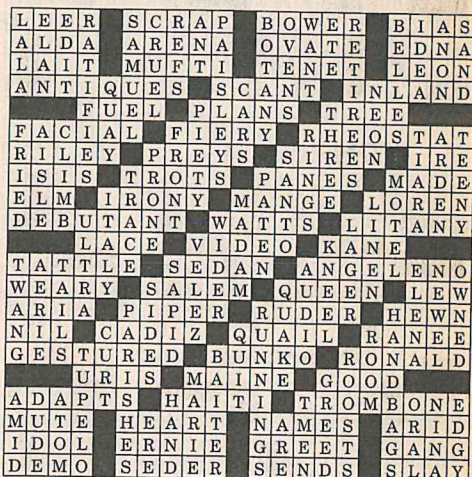
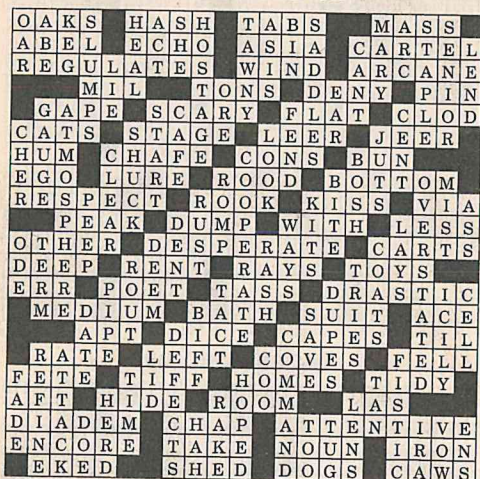
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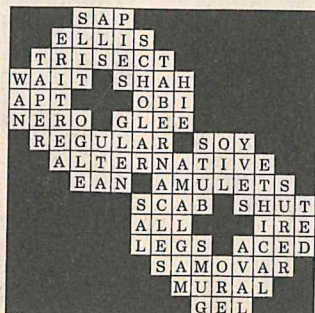
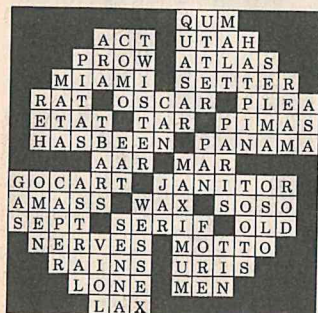
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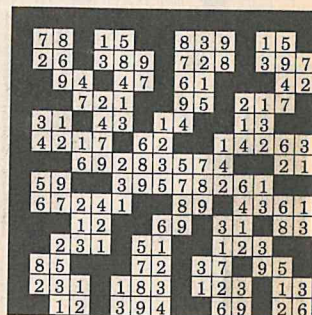
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## DIAGRAMLESS 7



## CROSS SUMS





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### CROSSWORD 26

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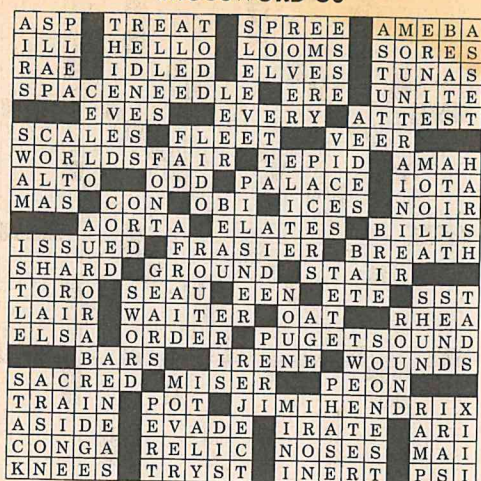
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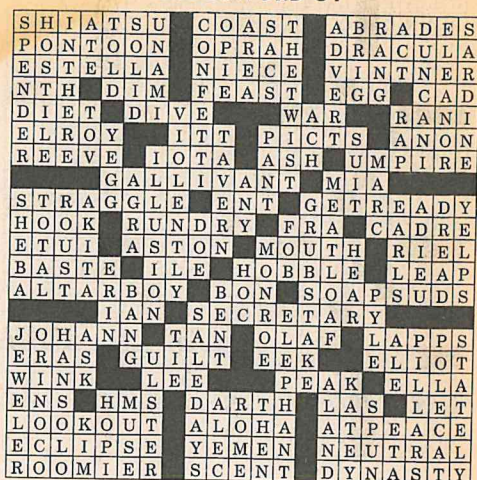
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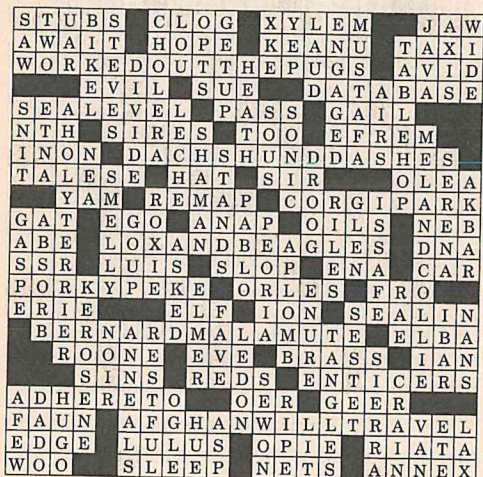
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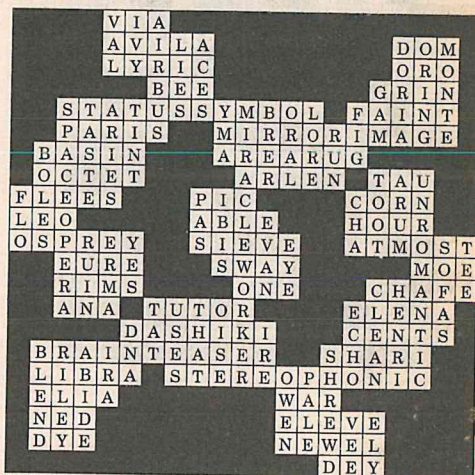
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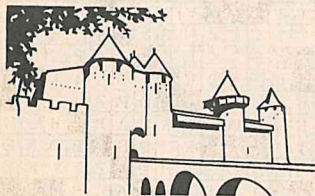
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### DIAGRAMLESS 8



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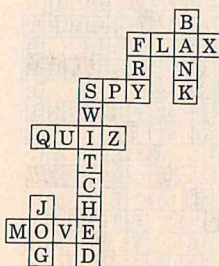


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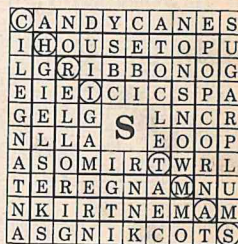
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### A TO Z FILL-IN

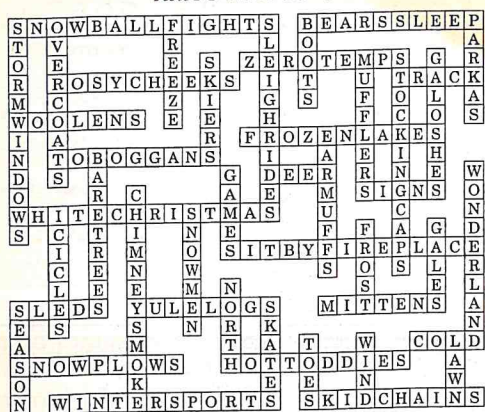


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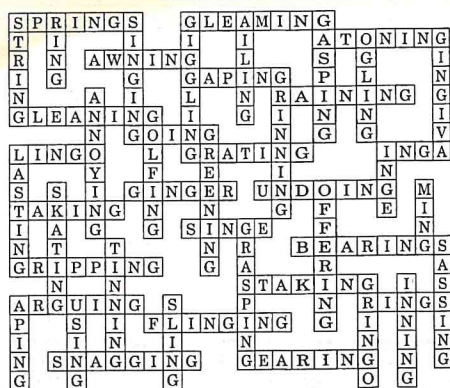




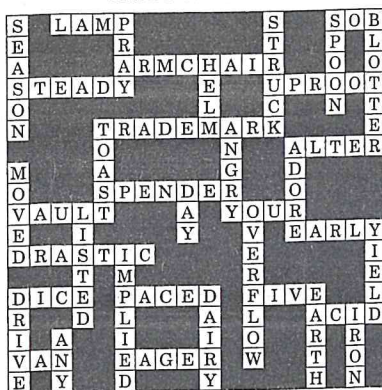
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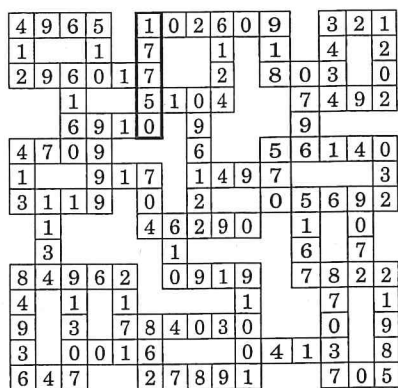
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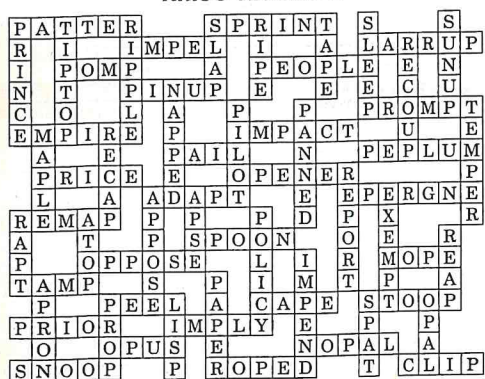
### KRISS KROSS 3



### KRISS KROSS 4



### KRISS KROSS 5



### KRISS KROSS 6





## QUOTEWORDS

To most people, experience is like the stern lights of a ship, which illuminate only the track it has passed.

## CIRCLE MATH

A = 7; B = 6; C = 9; D = 8; E = 4; F = 1; G = 5; H = 2; I = 3.

## EIGHT QUERIES OF CHANUKAH

1. b; 2. c; 3. c; 4. a; 5. a; 6. b; 7. a; 8. b.

## DOUBLE PLUS

1. pique, haunt, fried, vocal, token: quick; 2. shout, tepid, clean, virus, coast: opera.

## DISPELLING MISPELLING

1. summarize (*m* added); 2. gubernatorial (*o* changed to *a*); 3. tunic (*n* deleted); 4. helium (*o* changed to *u*); 5. affray (*f* added); 6. ineffable (*i* changed to *a*); 7. decade (*c* deleted); 8. bankruptcy (*t* added); 9. unctuous (*u* added); 10. career (*r* deleted); 11. lineal (*i* changed to *e*); 12. parentheses (*r* deleted). Word spelled out: MANUFACTURER.

## WORD MINE

**4-letter words:** emit, gent, gilt, gimp, glen, item, lent, lien, lime, limp, limy, line, lint, lite, melt, mien, mile, mine, mint, mite, mitt, pelt, pent, pile, pine, ping, pint, pity, tent, tile, tilt, time, tine, ting, tint, tiny, type, yelp.

**5-letter words:** empty, eying, gimpy, glint, impel, imply, inept, inlet, linty, lying, minty, petit, petty, piety, piney (or piny — count one or the other but not both), tempt, tinge, title, tying, yipes.

## SPELLATHON

**5-letter words:** anise, inane, inlet, inset, islet, linen, nonet, onion, onset, sense, snout, stain, state, steno, stint, taint, tenet, tense, titan, union, unite, unset.

**6-letter words:** anoint, enlist, estate, insist, intent, intuit, listen, nation, outlet, outrun, senate, senile, sestet, silent, tenant, tsetse, turtle.

## PHONE WORDS

1. yardage; 2. expense; 3. ragweed; 4. hygiene; 5. basting; 6. physics; 7. network; 8. cameras.

## DOUBLE-NITIONS

1. rocky; 2. uniform; 3. desert; 4. yarn; 5. gathering; 6. inch; 7. utter; 8. links; 9. icon; 10. angle; 11. notice; 12. idle. First letters spell out: Rudy Giuliani, Time Magazine's Man of the Year for 2001.

## COMPLETE THE QUOTE

1. b; 2. c; 3. a; 4. b; 5. b; 6. a; 7. c; 8. c; 9. a.

## REPLAY

1. appease, fishy, act; 2. picture, penny, ban.

## SOLICROSS™ 1

				T	O	W	E	L
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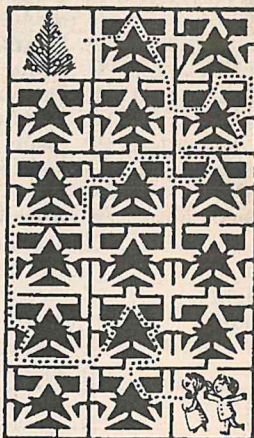
Our score: 381. Note: The word or words given in parentheses were formed in the same DRAW as the word immediately preceding the parentheses. Order of words: chair; ever; crumb; towel (lever); parent (he, an, it); amble; zero (to); mug (gamble); witch (we); equip; moan (owe); lava (am); elm (toe); ax (ha); loud.

## SOLICROSS™ 2

R	E	M	A	I	N	S		
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K			I		A			M
L	A	M	E		V	I	N	E
E	N	E	R	G	Y			R

Our score: 407. Note: The word or words given in parentheses were formed in the same DRAW as the word immediately preceding the parentheses. Order of words: company; tickle; energy; copier; lame (an, me); navy; vine; bet (by); customer; topic; touch; remain (it, no); echo; spy (remains); cry (itch, nor).

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# ANACROSTIC WORD LISTS

## ANACROSTIC 1

A. Whiff  
B. Snatch  
C. Thin  
D. Rowboat  
E. Up in the air  
F. Noisy  
G. Kingdom  
H. Trots  
I. Habit  
J. Edinburgh  
K. Eloquence  
L. Lacquer  
M. Events  
N. Mimics  
O. Establish  
P. Noggin  
Q. Toots  
R. Smarts  
S. Off and on  
T. Frowns  
U. Saloon  
V. Thirst  
W. Yellowstone  
X. Law-abiding  
Y. Easter egg

## ANACROSTIC 2

A. Drench  
B. Eyesight  
C. Manage  
D. Inhabit  
E. Loathe  
F. Lauder  
G. Epitomize  
H. Renews  
I. Tingle  
J. Handclasp  
K. Enzyme  
L. Blemish  
M. Outwit  
N. Ottawa  
O. Klieg light  
P. Obstinate  
Q. Flash  
R. Justice  
S. Aftermath  
T. Riles  
U. Guest  
V. Obviate  
W. Ninny

## ANACROSTIC 3

A. Dresden  
B. Admonish  
C. Vivacious  
D. Inherent  
E. Deputize  
F. Floss  
G. Engine  
H. Rising  
I. Record  
J. Enthusiast

K. Lesson  
L. Lenses  
M. Archduke  
N. Genes  
O. Amethyst  
P. Unheard-of  
Q. Doorstop  
R. Youth  
S. Grab bag  
T. Esthetic  
U. Throwback  
V. Assumption  
W. Wishes  
X. Aquamarine  
Y. Yowled

## ANACROSTIC 4

A. Chivalrous  
B. Oozes out  
C. Racks  
D. Names  
E. Et tu, Brute  
F. Lathe  
G. Interested  
H. Aliens  
I. San Juan  
J. Photograph  
K. Enchilada  
L. Needy  
M. Cable TV  
N. Eight ball  
O. Rabble  
P. Mayfly  
Q. Awful  
R. Daytona  
S. Eve Arden  
T. Issue  
U. Newley  
V. Iota  
W. Natalie  
X. Dawned  
Y. Ideate  
Z. Accessory

## ANACROSTIC 5

A. Daughter  
B. Oscar Wilde  
C. Riddled  
D. In vain  
E. Emulous  
F. Goldie Hawn  
G. Raffish  
H. Ethane  
I. Effective  
J. Nation  
K. Skeptical  
L. Postulated  
M. Athos  
N. Nettlesome  
O. Shootout  
P. Work of art  
Q. Ethiopia  
R. Editor

S. Thomas Nast  
T. Thanks  
U. Indoor  
V. Major suit  
W. Estate  
X. Sheathed

## ANACROSTIC 6

A. Sweated  
B. Loudmouth  
C. Shank  
D. Megaphone  
E. Inherit  
F. Towed  
G. Hawthorne  
H. Nehemiah  
I. On the cuff  
J. Bowler  
K. Oblong  
L. Detect  
M. Yearned  
N. Shown  
O. Athwart  
P. Irate  
Q. Dwight  
R. Increment  
S. Tamers  
T. Shakers  
U. Eventuate  
V. Awesome  
W. Swarthy  
X. Yawl

## ANACROSTIC 7

A. Wretched  
B. Ill-defined  
C. Loophole  
D. Left off  
E. Invective  
F. Asteroid  
G. More or less  
H. Boohoo  
I. Encipher  
J. Estimable  
K. Barrister  
L. Establish  
M. Jeremiad  
N. Unfinished  
O. Nectarine  
P. Got along  
Q. Lincoln  
R. Ellsworth  
S. Dusted  
T. Attrition  
U. Yielding  
V. Starve

## ANACROSTIC 8

A. Austere  
B. Neighborly  
C. Noblewoman  
D. Enlarged  
E. Shuts off

F. Termagant  
G. Elongate  
H. Vacuous  
I. Epiphany  
J. Neapolitan  
K. Shutdown  
L. Spain  
M. Tapestries  
N. Raucity  
O. Apothegm  
P. New Harmony  
Q. Ghana  
R. Embattled  
S. Lowland  
T. Aflutter  
U. Woody  
V. Sufficed

## ANACROSTIC 9

A. Fainted  
B. Under the hammer  
C. Rabbits  
D. Shiners  
E. Turn an honest penny  
F. Snobbish  
G. Throw a fit  
H. Ostrich  
I. Phaeton  
J. From hand to mouth  
K. One-sided  
L. Radiant  
M. Get one's dander up  
N. Etiquette  
O. Tallied  
P. Takes exception  
Q. In prospect  
R. New Hampshire  
S. Gallant

## ANACROSTIC 10

A. Hackneyed  
B. Outtrigger  
C. Laminates  
D. Lawn mower  
E. Isherwood  
F. Shadier  
G. Accidentally  
H. Lavishing  
I. Parthia  
J. Empathy  
K. Ricochets  
L. Travelling  
M. Bottommost  
N. Unmentioned  
O. Rush hours  
P. Tramways  
Q. Outshone  
R. Necessary



## CRYPTOGRAMS

1. After reading that germs attack the weakest part of the body, I decided that's why people so often catch head colds.
2. Before repeating anything "a little bird" told you, perhaps you should be sure it wasn't a dodo.
3. The average man will probably stand adversity better than prosperity, but he surely doesn't want to.
4. Laughter can be the brush that sweeps away the cloying cobwebs in your brain.
5. You'll find that some folks generously make contributions according to their means, but others only according to their meanness.
6. Talented president solved all the bank's problems — everything was always right on the money.
7. Maybe your ears work better when you shut your mouth.
8. The trouble with cooking in a microwave oven may be that dinner is cooked before you get the table set.
9. You could say that parenthood really is an "heir-raising" experience.
10. Trying to be happy is much the same as trying to fall asleep; you can do it better if you forget you are trying.
11. Many politicians who consider themselves farsighted are just very poor judges of distance.
12. A balanced diet for egotists should include a generous helping of humble pie.
13. Nothing can upset me more than when a friend drops in unexpectedly and finds my house looking like it usually does.
14. It's been proven on the job that no one needs a vacation as much as the person who has just had one.
15. Time may possibly be the best healer, but it's a lousy makeup artist.
16. Airport beacons moved amber fingers up through the covering fog.
17. The fun of sledding down the snow-covered hills is somewhat tempered by the long trek back up.
18. Profound old German proverb: A false friend is more dangerous than the obvious antagonist.
19. We find ideas are much like children; our own are so wonderful.
20. One must fully swallow his pride before he may eat his own words.
21. The scholar of life will find that a closed mind gathers no knowledge.
22. I haven't lost weight since counting calories and carbohydrates, but my arithmetic has improved.

## CRYPTOQUIZZES

1. eggs, beets, hot dogs, cabbage, noodles, corn, potatoes, string beans, spaghetti, carrots; 2. Marilyn Monroe, James Cagney, Humphrey Bogart, Mae West, Elvis Presley, Marlon Brando, John Wayne, Ed Sullivan, Groucho Marx, Jack Nicholson; 3. angel, candy canes, star, bells, cranberries, tinsel, ornaments, garlands, ribbons, lights; 4. Boston, Salem, Cape Cod, The Bay State, Plymouth Rock, New England, Walden Pond, Old Sturbridge Village, The Berkshires.

## QUOTATION PUZZLES

1. The greatest fortune you can possess is a large number of really super friends. 2. One sign of genius person is a great aptitude for patience. 3. The one redeeming feature of being wrong is the joy it brings to others. 4. Sympathy, it has been astutely said, is two hearts tugging at one load. 5. You are already a success if you are doing the type of work you enjoy and making a living at it. 6. In matters of conscience, first thoughts are best; and in matters of prudence, last thoughts are best.

## FIGGERIT WORD LISTS

1. "Yesterday," whispers, lounge, mountain, shapely, piano, Marion; 2. attend, penny, wide-awake, pumpkin, Winkle, holiday, on foot; 3. graduated, searching, toothache, sit down, swoon, Frosty, assets; 4. scot-free, stations, companion, peter out, migraine, mixes up, beginners.

## BOWL-A-SCORE CHALLENGER

**STRIKES:** 1. questioned; 2. decoration; 3. blacksmith; 4. boisterous; 5. astuteness; 6. misfortune; 7. insensible; 8. boondoggle; 9. astronauts; 10. arrogantly.

**SPARES:** (*Other combinations are possible. Score full credit for them as long as they are correct.*) 1. quote, dines; 2. notice, road; 3. batch, milks; 4. bruise, soot; 5. senses, taut; 6. forms, unite; 7. bins, senile; 8. belong, good; 9. assort, tuna; 10. granary, lot.

## CHANGELINGS

1. COLD, fold, fond, find, WIND.  
2. PASS, bass, base, bale, BALL.  
3. LOGS, dogs, does, dyes, ayes, AXES.  
4. TANK, talk, tall, toll, tool, POOL.  
5. YULE, mule, mile, mill, sill, self, SEAL.  
(*Using the same number of changes, other answers may be possible for each Changeling.*)

## PICTURE RIDDLE

1. awning; 2. shoe; 3. thimble; 4. ice; 5. mouse; 6. elephant; 7. glove; 8. October; 9. earmuffs; 10. salt; 11. beard; 12. yarn. First letters spell out: As time goes by.



## ANACROSTICS

1. *Author:* W(illiam) Strunk (Jr.)  
*Work:* THE ELEMENTS OF STYLE

"Writing is, for most, laborious and slow. The mind travels faster than the pen; consequently, writing becomes a question of learning to make occasional wing shots, bringing down the bird of thought as it flashes by."

2. *Author:* D(on) E(than) Miller  
*Work:* THE BOOK OF JARGON

"What marks jazz, above all, is its authenticity, the feeling of the music being created as it is being played — thus telling the listener something real about the men and women who are playing it."

3. *Author:* David Ferrell  
*Work:* A GAUDY GETAWAY

"American highway culture has produced any number of oddities...motels shaped like teepees, theme diners with garish neon signs, souvenir shacks squatting beneath oversized statues of cowboys, longhorn steer, and dinosaurs."

4. *Author:* Cornelia Spencer  
*Work:* MADE IN INDIA

"Indian and Elizabethan theaters seem to have been a good deal alike.... The stage was set up in a courtyard.... There was scarcely any scenery.... Plays were usually about jumbled love affairs...but had little action and no violence."

5. *Author:* Dorie Greenspan  
*Work:* SWEET TIMES

"To commemorate Chanukah, the Festival of Lights, Jews around the world eat foods made with oil. In Israel, the traditional food is doughnuts; in Eastern Europe and...the United States, the favorite...dish is potato latkes, or pancakes."

6. *Author:* S(ally) L(iberman) Smith  
*Work:* NOBODY SAID IT'S EASY

"Mark Twain once remarked that when he was fourteen, he could not get over how ignorant his father was; but by the time he, Twain, was twenty-one, he was greatly impressed to see how much the old man had learned."

7. *Author:* William Beebe  
*Work:* JUNGLE DAYS

"It seems incredible that a sloth can hold its own in this overcrowded tropical jungle.... Its outer line of defense is invisibility — and there is none better.... No hedgehog or armadillo ever rolled a more perfect ball of itself"

8. *Author:* Anne Stevens  
*Work:* STRANGE LAWS

"New England has produced a number of strange statutes. Under Maine law, you may not step out of a plane in flight. A New Hampshire law provides that you cannot sell the clothes you are wearing to pay off a gambling debt."

9. *Author:* (Dr. Bruno) Furst  
*Work:* STOP FORGETTING

"A Pullman passenger questioned a porter: 'What is the matter? I find one black and one brown shoe under my berth.' The porter offered this explanation: 'I cannot understand, but it is the second time this morning that this has happened.'"

10. *Author:* Hollis Alpert  
*Work:* BURTON

"Once Winston Churchill was at the Old Vic when Burton was playing Shakespeare. During the intermission, the great man came to the actor's dressing room. 'My Lord Hamlet,' he said, 'may I use your lavatory?'"

[illegible]

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**LADDERGRAM 1**

S	SAFER	FARE	EAR	F
P	PERMIT	TIMER	TERM	I
O	SOONER	SNORE	ROSE	N
R	TRAIN	AIN'T	TIN	A
T	DENTAL	LADEN	DANE	L
S	ASSET	SEAT	ATE	S

**LADDERGRAM 2**

P	PASTEL	LEAST	SEAL	T
L	LETHAL	LATHE	TALE	H
A	PASTOR	PORTS	STOP	R
Y	DISNEY	SNIDE	SEND	I
O	LOUDER	RULED	RUDE	L
F	FAILED	IDEAL	AIDE	L
F	FASTER	STARE	RATE	S

**NAMING NAMES**

Female names: 1. Dinah; 2. Peggy; 3. Beverly; 4. Madge; 5. Carmen; 6. Tina; 7. Kate. Male names: 1. Clark; 2. Lawrence; 3. Mortimer; 4. Sean; 5. Ivan; 6. Boyd; 7. Howard.

**FIGGERITS**

1. When you are already in motion, pushing on is easy. 2. Keep an open mind if you know what to let in. 3. Choose good assistants and get out of their way. 4. Imagination is a poor substitute for experience.

**CATEGORHYMES**

1. lake, river, sea, stream, creek, pond, ocean, brook, puddle, swamp; 2. canoe, yacht, ferry, skiff, cruiser, freighter, ketch, junk, cutter, sloop.

**ONE, TWO, THREE — GO!**

1. mosaic, relish, clothe: casserole; 2. atomic, before, tomato: motorboat.

**LETTER CHOICE**

1. aware (5); 2. connect (7); 3. merchant (8); 4. oath (4); 5. tomorrow (8); 6. weather (7); 7. wrench (6). Total: 45 points.

**TOUCH AND GO**

1. d, rapid; 2. k, taking; 3. r, grace; 4. w, thrown; 5. u, supplier; 6. m, dreamy; 7. o, copier; 8. i, duration; 9. x, relaxed; 10. g, glaze; 11. l, reveille; 12. n, eleven; 13. f, force; 14. e, moisture; 15. u, reduce.

**WORD ARITHMETIC**

- 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
 1. RED/INK/BLOT  
 2. A/LOUD/SIREN  
 3. I/TWAS/FORME  
 4. BIG/PADLOCK  
 5. FRUITCAKES  
 6. JOYFUL/XMAS

**CELEBRITY ANAGRAMS**

1. improve-H; 2. gambler-I; 3. desire-W; 4. collie-S; 5. Saturday-I; 6. address-L; 7. ceremony-A; 8. ninety-S; 9. popcorn-E; 10. conceal-R. Anagrammed letters spell out: Shari Lewis.

**LOGIC PROBLEM 1**

Monday's ad wasn't created for Reath (clue 1), Clause (clue 3), Noelle (clue 4), or Kringle (clue 5); it was done for Garland. This ad didn't use music from "Flutes" (clue 1), "Waltz" (clue 3), "Sugarplum" (clue 4), or "Arabian" (clue 5), so it used "Trepak." By clue 2, the ad for the ice rink was created on Tuesday. Tuesday's ad wasn't created for Reath (clue 1), Noelle (clue 4), or Kringle (clue 5); it was created for Clause. Friday's ad wasn't created for Reath (clue 1) or Kringle (clue 5), so it was done for Noelle. By clue 4, the ad for the snow removal service was created on Wednesday and the one using the "Sugarplum" music was done on Thursday. Clause's ad didn't use the "Waltz" music (clue 3) or the "Arabian" music (clue 5); it used the "Flutes" music. By clue 1, Reath's ad was done on Wednesday. By elimination, Kringle's ad was created on Thursday. By clue 5, the "Arabian" music was used on Friday. By elimination, the "Waltz" music ad was created Wednesday. Noelle owns the catering business (clue 3). The decorating service's ad wasn't created on Monday (clue 1), so Monday was the ski lodge ad. By elimination, the decorator's ad was done on Thursday.

In summary:

Clause, ice rink, "Flutes," Tuesday  
 Garland, ski lodge, "Trepak," Monday  
 Kringle, decorating, "Sugarplum," Thursday  
 Noelle, catering, "Arabian," Friday  
 Reath, snow removal, "Waltz," Wednesday

**LOGIC PROBLEM 2**

Jean's last name is Law (clue 1) and Sally is from Maine (clue 3). By clue 7, either Mark or Brian is from Ohio and speaks Arabic. By clue 5, Claudia speaks Chinese. By clue 6, Brian does not speak Russian. Mark speaks Russian and isn't from Alaska (clue 2) or Utah (clue 6). Mark or Brian, then, is Sand from Iowa (clue 3). Sand does not speak French (clue 4), Chinese (clue 5), or Arabic (clue 7); he speaks Russian and Spanish. By clue 6, he is not Brian, so he is Mark. By elimination, Brian is from Ohio. Brian does not speak French (clue 4), Russian (clue 6), or Spanish (clue 8), so he speaks Chinese. By clue 5, he is Mills. Since the person from Utah speaks both French and Spanish (clue 6), she is Jean. By elimination, Claudia is from Alaska and, by clue 2, also speaks Russian. By elimination, Sally speaks Arabic and French. By clue 7, her last name is Reed. By elimination, Claudia's last name is Beck. In summary:

Brian Mills, Ohio, Arabic and Chinese  
 Claudia Beck, Alaska, Chinese and Russian  
 Jean Law, Utah, French and Spanish  
 Mark Sand, Iowa, Russian and Spanish  
 Sally Reed, Maine, Arabic and French



### DIAGRAMLESS STARTING BOXES

Diagramless 2 begins in the 12th box across.  
Diagramless 3 begins in the 1st box across.  
Diagramless 4 begins in the 7th box across.  
Diagramless 5 begins in the 3rd box across.  
Diagramless 6 begins in the 9th box across.  
Diagramless 7 begins in the 4th box across.  
Diagramless 8 begins in the 5th box across.

### KRISS KROSS HELPS

Kriss Kross 3: lamp  
Kriss Kross 4: 17750  
Kriss Kross 6: motive

### CRYPTOGRAM HELPS

Note: The capital letter is the code letter; the lowercase letter is the one the code letter represents. 15. X = t; 16. W = h; 17. T = n; 18. J = a; 19. J = r; 20. Y = e; 21. J = f; 22. L = d.

### CROSS SUMS HELP

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### FUN WITH HOLIDAY FACTS AND FIGURES

1. 31
2.  $31 - 25 = 6$
3.  $6 \times 3 = 18$
4.  $18 \div 2 = 9$  (b)\*
5.  $9 + 15 = 24$
6.  $24 \times 7 = 168$  (harvest)
7.  $168 \div 12 = 14$  ( $3 + 2 + 4 + 1 + 2$ )
8.  $14 - 11 = 3$
9.  $3 - 2 = 1$
10. 1

\* Franz Gruber, village choirmaster-organist, wrote the music to "Silent Night" on Christmas Day of 1818. "Away in a Manger" was published and possibly composed by James R. Murray in 1887; the lyricist is unknown.

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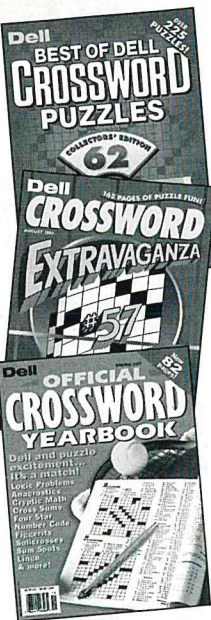
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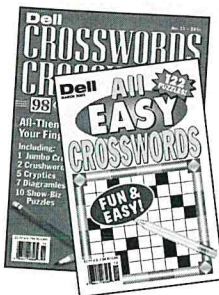
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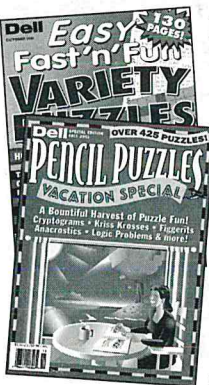
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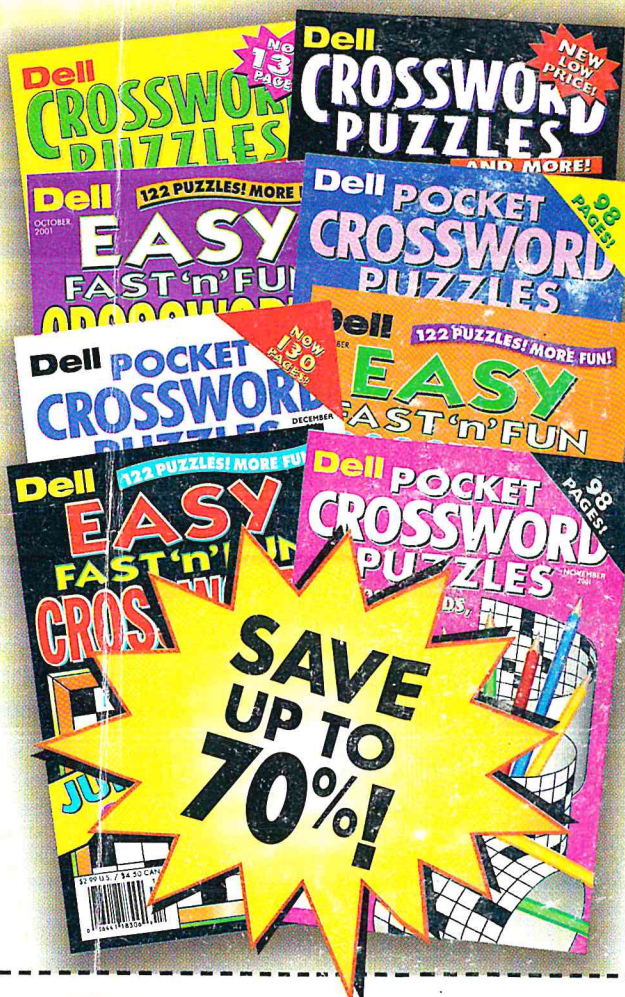
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